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Same as Wofford College.

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II.

CONDENSED JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS.

FIRST DAY-WEDNESDAY.

Methodist Church, Chester, S. C., November 28th, 1900.

The South Carolina Annual Conference of the M. E. Church, South, convened its One Hundred and Fifteenth Session in the Methodist Church, Chester, S. C., at 9.30 A. M., November 28th, 1900, Bishop R. K. Hargrove in the Chair.

Opening devotions were conducted by Bishop Hargrove.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered by Bishop Hargrove, assisted by O. A. Darby, John O. Willson, J. B. Campbell and J. B. Wilson.

The Secretary of the last Session called the roll, and one hundred and seventy clerical, and twenty-two lay members reported present.

J. S. Wimberly was substituted for B. Greig, Charleston District; and T. E. Epting for R. S. Nickles, Cokesbury District.

E. O. Watson was elected Secretary, with W. L. Wait and E. A. Holler Assistants.

S. H. Zimmerman was elected Statistical Secretary, with A. J. Cauthen, Jr., M. B. Kelly, W. C. Kirkland and G. E. Stokes, Assistants,

The hours for meeting and adjournment were fixed; meet at 9.30 A. M., and adjourn at 1.30 P. M.

On motion of J. E. Grier, the bar was fixed to include all pews in front of the rear window from the chancel.

The report of the Presiding Elders, a standing committee on nominations, was presented through H. B. Browne, and was adopted as follows:

Public Worship—H. W. Bays, J. E. Grier, G. W. Gage, J. L. Glenn. Bible Cause—G. P. Watson, Chairman; T. W. Keitt, R. W. Spigner, G. G. Lynch, G. F. Clarkson, W. J. Carter, W. A. Wright, T. M. Whisonant, S. D. Vaughan, J. N. Jones.

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Minutes—T. C. O'Dell, Chairm n; E. K. Moore, S. F. Killinsworth, J. W. Ariail, R. T. Caston, M. B. Kelly, P. A. Hodges, J. M. Riddle, E. H. Beckham, W. J. Turbeville.

District Conference Journals—R. W. Barber, Chairman; W. H. Moore, W. T. Duncan, A. M. Boozer, H. J. Cauthen, George E. Prince, J. A. Campbell, W. E. Willis, J. F. Bolt. W. A. Betts.

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Memoirs—3. Lander, Chairman; John O. Willson, A. J. Stokes, E. O. Watson, W. R. Richardson, J. Thomas Pate, S. A. Weber.

Sabbath Observance—A. C. Dibble, Chairman; J. S. Wimberly, S. T. Blackman, E. P. Hutson, W. S. Martin, J. B. Brace, A. J. Cauthen, J. A. Smith, J. K. McCain, A. T. Dunlap.

The following Resolutions, offered by J. Thomas Pate, were adopted:

Resolved. That the Presiding Bishop be requested to appoint the Presiding Elders a committee to nominate the delegates from this Conference to the Missionary Conference, which will convene during the month of April, 1901, in the city of New Orleans.

Resolved, secondly, That this committee be requested to appoint as many laymen as delegates as the rules and regulations of said Conference will allow.

Rev. James Atkins, D. D., Sunday School Editor; Rev. W. R. Lambuth, D. D., Missionary Secretary; Rev. J. S. Moffatt, Pastor the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church; and Mr. Henry Spence, representative of the Publishing House of our Church, were introduced to the Conference.

Dr. Lambuth addressed the Conference concerning the work of our Mission Board.

Reports and communications were referred without reading: Communication from the Board of Church Extension, referred to the Board of Church Extension; report of the Secretary of Epworth Leagues, referred to the Epworth League Board; comunication and report of the Book Agents, referred to the Committee on Books and Periodicals.

Mr. Atkins, Sunday School Editor, addressed the Conference relative to Sunday School interests, making especial advocacy of the Children's Visitor.

Bishop W. W. Duncan was introduced to the Conference.

On motion, J. B. Campbell was substituted for G. T. Harmon, on Committee on Conference Relations.

Question 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? was called, and the character of the superannuates and supernumeraries of the Conference examined and passed.

The death of Sidi H. Browne and E. B. Loyless was announced, and their names referred to the Committee on Memoirs

J. M. Carlisle, W. A. Clarke, A. M. Chreitzberg, O. A. Darby, D. D. Dantzler, R. L. Duffie, L. M. Hamer, T. G. Herbert, A. W. Jackson,

W. W. Jones, P. F. Kistler, L. C. Loyal, J. J. Neville, I. J. Newberry, J. A. Porter, T. P. Phillips, J. L. Sifly, J. F. Smith, A. W. Walker, C. E. Wiggins, J. A. Wood, J. J. Workman, W. H. Kirton, N. G. Ballenger, N. K. Melton, T. E. Wannamaker, A. J. Stafford, W. W. Williams and J. E. Carlisle were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations, for the superannuated relation.

W. H. Wroton, John Manning, M. M. Ferguson, R. C. Boulware and A. W. Attaway were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations, for the supernumerary relation.

J. M. Rogers and J. W. Neely, last year on the supernumerary list, were left effective.

The death of A. M. Attaway was announced, and his name referred to the Committee on Memoirs.

Qustion 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? was resumed, and the character of the Presiding Elders examined and passed.

On motion, B. M. Grier was substituted for C. H. Clyde on the Board of Missions. M. L. Marchant was substituted for J. B. Sanders, deceased, on the Board of Missions.

The Committee on Public Worship announced preaching this afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Methodist Church. by J. C. Stoll, and at 7 o'clock by J. W. Daniel.

Thanksgiving services to-morrow:

Methodist Church, Rev. James Atkins, D. D.; Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, Rev. W. R. Lambuth, D. D.; Presbyterian Church, Rev. J. A. Rice, D. D.

Other announcements were made, and Conference adjourned with Doxology, and the Benediction by Bishop Hargrove.

SECOND DAY-THURSDAY.

Methodist Church, Chester, S. C., November 29th, 1900.

Conterence was called to order at 9.30 this morning, Bishop Hargrove in the Chair.

The opening devotions were conducted by J. B. Campbell.

The roll was called, and twenty clerical, and four lay members not present at yesterday's roll call, reported present.

The Minutes of yesterday's session were read and approved.

Reports and communications were referred without reading as follows: report of the Sunday School Editors to the Sunday School Board; communication from the Missionary Secretaries to the Board of Missions; communication from the General Board of Education, and a report of the Board of Directors of the Williamston Female College to the Board of Education.

The following, presented by J. E. Grier, was, on motion, adopted:

To the South Carolina Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South:

The Board of Trustees of the Williamston Female College beg leave

to submit a supplemental report to your body.

When this College was offered to the Conference, and upon the recommendation of the Conference Board of Education was received, it was not known that the further recommendation of the General Board of Education was required. The Trustees, upon learning of this, in order to remove any appearance of irregularity, instructed the undersigned in their behalf to ask the Conference to adopt the following Preamble and Resolution:

Whereas, The recommendation of the General Board of Education of our Church is required, when a college or university is adopted by an Annual Conference (which requirement was not known when the Williamston Female College was tendered, and taken under the care of the South Carolina Conference, in December, 1898.)

Resolved, That the South Carolina Conference hereby request the General Board of Education of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, to confirm the reception of the Williamston Female College by this body.

(Signed)

G. W. SULLIVAN. S. LANDER. P. F. KILGO.

Under Question 6—Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? Bishop Hargrove announced the transfer of B. D. Lucas, from the China Mission Conference, and B. J. Guess, from the Texas Conference, to the South Carolina Conference.

Report No. 1 of the Board of Managers and Trustees of the Epworth Orphanage, setting forth the condition and work of the Orphanage for the past year, was presented through A. J. Stokes, Chairman, and, on motion, was adopted.

Report No. 2 of the Board of Managers and Trustees of the Epworth Orphanage, asking for the appointment of T. C. O'Dell as an Assistant Superintendent, was presented. A motion to lay on the table, made by W. C. Power, was lost. On motion, the report was adopted.

Question 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? was resumed, and character of Elders in Charleston, Rock Hill, Cokesbury and Columbia Districts examined and passed

M. H. Pooser, S. P. H. Elwell and John Owen were called, and upon anouncement of their death during the year, their names were referred to the Committee on Memoirs.

J. C. Stoll was called, his character examined and passed, and his name referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the superannuated relation.

C. H. Clyde was called. His Presiding Elder asked for a Committee of Trial in his case, and the Bishop appointed the following committee: S. A. Weber, Chairman; E. P. Taylor, R. E. Stackhouse, O. L.

DuRant, J. Thomas Pate, J. A. Clifton, P. F. Kilgo, J. G. Beckwith, P. L. Kirton, and J. E. Beard. A. E. Holler was detailed to act as Secretary of the trial.

Dr. J. D. Hammond, Secretary of the Board of Education, was introduced, and addressed the Conference.

Bishop W. W. Duncan addressed the Conference, and took a collection in behalf of Columbian College, at Milton, Oregon, amounting to \$53.11.

Conference took a recess for Thanksgiving services, Dr. James Atkins preaching. A collection amounting to \$130.67 was taken for the Epworth Orphanage.

Conference resumed regular work, calling Question 20—Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? The character of Elders of Columbia and Cokesbury Districts was examined and passed.

The Committee on Public Worship announced preaching in the Methodist Church at 4 P. M. by Dr. J. D. Hammond, and at 7.30 P. M., Missionary Anniversary addressed by Dr. W. R. Lambuth.

Announcements were made, and Conference adjourned with the Doxology, and the Benediction by J. E. Mahaffey.

THIRD DAY-FRIDAY.

Methodist Church, Chester, S. C., November 30th, 1900.

Conference was called to order at 9.30 this morning, Bishop Hargrove in the Chair.

Opening devotions were conducted by W. R. Richardson.

Roll call was discontinued for the remainder of this session.

The Minutes of yesterday's session were read and approved.

A letter from D. A. Calhoun, explaining the reason of his absence from the Conference session, addressed to A. J. Stokes, was read by the Secretary to the Conference.

A communication was referred without reading to the Committee on Sabbath Observance. A communication from the Secretary of the Woman's Home Mission Society was referred to the Board of Missions.

The report of the Committee of Trial in the case of C. H. Clyde was presented, and on motion, was recommitted.

Under Question 6—Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? Bishop Hargrove announced the transfer of H. I. Stephens, from the Baltimore Conference, and T. F. Gibson, from the Western North Carolina Conference, to the South Carolina Conference.

Question 1. Who are admitted on trial? was called, and William Clifton Smith, Barnwell Rhett Turnipseed, Loring Price McGhee, and James Thomas Fowler, being duly recommended and approved in examination, were admitted on trial into the travelling connection.

Question 2. Who remain on trial? was called, and Henry L. Singleton, John Thomas Macfarlane, Emmett F. Scoggins, Bob G. Murphy, Robert S. Truesdale, F. Emory Hodges (D), John W. Bailey (E), being approved in the prescribed course of study, their characters were passed, and they were advanced to the class of the second year.

The reports of the Woman's Foreign Mission Society and the Woman's Home Mission Society, were presented for record.

The Conference took a recess for the holding of Legal Session, after which the regular business was resumed.

Dr. W. F. Tillett, Dean of Vanderbilt University Theological Seminary, was introduced, and addressed the Conference.

Rev. Thomas H. Law, D. D., was introduced, and addressed the Conference concerning the work of the American Bible Society.

The Committee of Trial in the case of C. H. Clyde, through S. A. Weber, Chairman, presented the following report:

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Report of the committee in reference to the trial of C. H. Clyde:

We, the committee appointed in the case of C. H. Clyde, charged with immorality, find that the specification is sustained only so far as it relates to improper conduct.

We find further that the part of the specification sustained does not

justify the charge of immorality.

(Signed)

E. P. TAYLOR.

R. E. STACKHOUSE.

OLIN L. DURANT.

J. THOMAS PATE.

J. A. CLIFTON.

P. F. KILGO.

J. G. BECKWITH.

P. L. KIRTON.

J. E. BEARD.

A. E. HOLLER, Secretary.

S. A. WEBER, Chairman.

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The case being recommitted to committee to fix the penalty for improper conduct, he is hereby suspended from the Ministry of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, until May 21, 1901, which will be one year from date of the original investigation.

(Signed)

E. P. TAYLOR.

O. L. DURANT.

J. THOMAS PATE.

J. A. CLIFTON.

P. F. KILGO.

P. L. KIRTON.

J. E. BEARD.

A. E. HOLLER, Secretary.

S. A. WEBER, Chairman.

W. W. Bays, D. D., of the Western North Carolina Conference; Rev. D. N. McLauchlin, Pastor of the Chester Presbyterian Church; and Rev. L. C. Hinton, of the Baptist Church, were introduced to the Conference.

S. A. Weber was, on motion of A. J. Stokes, referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the supernumerary relation.

The report of the Publishing Committee of the Southern Christian Advocate was presented through J. S. Beasley, and was adopted.

Question 8. What travelling preachers are elected deacons? was called, and Olympia M. Abney, John H. Graves, Reuben W. Humphries, Ethan Z. James, Julius E. Strickland, A. Ellwood Holler having stood approved examinations in the prescribed course of study, upon examination and passage of their character, were elected travelling deacons, and advanced to the class of the third year. James L. Mullinix, already an Elder, having been approved, was advanced to the class of the third year. L. L. Inabinet, not having appeared before the committee, and John B. Weldon, not approved in examination. upon examination and passage of character, were continued in the class of the second year.

Question 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? was called, and George P. Penny, John A. Holland, Bob Gage Murphy, Thomas L. Belvin, Major M. Bird and J. LaVance Tyler, being duly recommended, were elected local deacons.

Report No. 1 of the Committee on Conference Relations was presented and adopted, granting the superannuated relation to John Attaway, F. Auld, M. L. Banks, J. M. Carlisle, W. A. Clarke, A. M. Chreitzberg, O. A. Darby, D. D. Dantzler, R. L. Duffie, L. M. Hamer, T. G. Herbert, A. W. Jackson, W. W. Jones, P. F. Kistler, L. C. Loyal, J. J. Neville, I. J. Newberry, J. A. Porter, T. P. Phillips, J. L. Sifly, J. F. Smith, A. W. Walker, C. E. Wiggins, J. A. Wood, J. J. Workman, W. H. Kirton, N. G. Ballenger, N. K. Melton, T. E. Wannamaker, John E. Carlisle, A. J. Stafford, W. W. Williams, J. C. Stoll, and the supernumerary relation to W. H. Wroton, John Manning, R. C. Boulware, and S. A. Weber.

A. W. Attaway referred to this committee for the supernumerary relation, was left effective.

Question 7. Who are the deacons of one year? was called, and Stannie H. Booth, William A. Fairey, James M. Lawson, Daniel A. Patrick, John W. Speake. Robert E. Turnipseed, J. Marion Rogers, J. R. Sojourner, and F. Hawkins Shuler having stood approved examinations in the prescribed course of study, upon examination and passage of character, were advanced to the class of the fourth year.

Question 12. What travelling preachers are elected elders? was called, and David W. Keller, William C. Kirkland, John C. Roper, Wade H. Thrower, Connor B. Burns, having stood approved examinations in the prescribed course of study, upon examination and passage of character, were elected elders. F. Hawkins Shuler having served the

full number of years necessary, and having stood an approved examination in the prescribed course of study, was elected an elder. Sidi B. Harper, A. S. Leslie and Foster Speer not having appeared before the committee, upon examination and passage of character, were continued in the class of the fourth year. Robert C. Boulware, whose character had already been examined and passed, not having appeared before the committee, was continued in the class of the fourth year.

On motion, Foster Speer was referred to the Committee on Confer-

ence Relations for the supernumerary relation.

Question 14. What local preachers are elected elders? was answered—None.

Question 20 Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? was resumed, and character of elders in Florence and Greenville Districts examined and passed.

E. G. Price was called, and upon announcement of his death during the year, his name was referred to the Committee on Memoirs.

J. A. Clifton moved that an afternoon session of Conference be ordered, which, on motion of G. P. Watson, was laid on the table.

The Committee on Public Worship announced a Missionary Mass Meeting at the A. R. P. Church at 4 o'clock this P. M.; preaching at the Methodist Church by Dr. H. F. Chreitzberg at 4 P. M.; Church Extension Board Anniversary to be addressed by Dr W. F. Tillett, D. D., and Bishop W. W. Duncan, at 7.30 P. M.

Announcements were made, and Conference adjourned with the

Doxology, and Benediction by Dr. W. F. Tillett.

FOURTH DAY-SATURDAY.

MORNING SESSION.

Methodist Church, Chester, S. C., December 1st, 1900. Conference was called to order at 9.30 this morning, the Bishop in the Chair.

The opening devotions were conducted by John O. Willson.

The Minutes of yesterday's session were read, corrected and approved. On motion of J. B. Wilson, the case of A. W. Attaway was reconsidered, and recommitted to the Committee on Conference Relations,

for the supernumerary relation.

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Question 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? was resumed, and character of elders in Greenville, Marion. Orangeburg, Spartanburg and Sumter Districts examined and passed.

J. H. Noland was located at his own request. (Question 16.)

G. H. Waddell, Superintendent of the Epworth Orphanage, reported a happy Thanksgiving at the Orphanage, and requested that the Sun-

day before Christmas be made the occasion of a special Christmas offering in behalf of that institution.

At request of the Presiding Elder of Greenville District, Question 1—Who are admitted on trial? was again called, and papers of J. S. Newton, of the Protestant Church, presented to the Conference making application for admission. The Committee on Admissions not having had sufficient data upon which to act. the application could not be considered.

R. A. Child presented the report of the Presiding Elders nominating the delegates to the Missionary Conference to be held in New Orleans, in April, 1901. The delegates mentioned in this report were appointed.

Question 4. Who are admitted into full connection? was called, and Olympia M. Abney, John H. Graves, Reuben W. Humphries, A. Ellwood Holler, Ethan Z. James, James L. Mullinix (E), and Julius E. Strickland, upon giving satisfactory answer to the disciplinary questions, were admitted into full connection.

Question 5. Who are re-admitted? was called. The recommendation for re-admission of John M. Pike, from the Charleston District, was presented. The Committee on Admissions reported against his admission. During the discussion of this question, the time of adjournment having nearly arrived, the time of the session was extended until the disposition of the matter in hand. After free discussion, on motion of S. A. Weber, the previous question was called for and put. On the vote there were 106 yeas, and 66 nays, and as a vote for re-admission over the adverse report of the committee required a two-thirds majority of those present and voting, the Bishop announced that the application of J. M. Pike for re-admission was rejected.

On motion of John Attaway, the Presiding Elder of Charleston District was authorized to employ J.M. Pike as a supply, if needed.

On motion of H. B. Browne, an afternoon session was ordered at 3.30 o'clock to-day.

On motion of E. O. Watson, a Memorial Service, with Ordination of Elders, was ordered for 3.30 o'clock to-morrow afternoon.

The following announcements of preaching were made by the Committee on Public Worship:

Missionary meeting for the ladies, at the A. R. P. Church, at 4 this P. M.

Preaching in the Methodist Church to-night at 7.30 P. M., by D. M. McLeod, if there be no night session of Conference.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Methodist Church -

9.30 A. M.—Love Feast led by T. G. Herbert—doors closed at 10.

11.00 A. M.—Preaching by Bishop Hargrove, and Ordination of Elders.

3.30 P. M —Memorial Service and Ordination of Elders.

7.30 P. M.—Bishop W. W. Duncan.

Presbyterian Church-

11.00 A. M. -W. W. Bays, D. D.

7.30 P. M.-C. B. Smith.

Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church-

11.00 A. M.-M. L. Carlisle.

7.30 P. M.-W. M. Duncan.

Baptist Church -

11.00 A M.-W. R. Richardson

7.30 P. M.—J. W. Daniel.

Colored Methodist Church-

11.00 A M.--J. E. Beard.

7.30 P. M. -S. D. Vaughan.

Pleasant Grove Presbyterian Church-

11.00 A. M.-R. A. Yongue.

Colored Presbyterian Church-

11.00 A. M.—E. P. Taylor.

7,30 P. M.-F. H. Shuler.

Brainerd Institute-

4.00 P. M.—George W. Walker, D. D.

Ridgeway Methodist Church-

11.00 A. M.—A. R. Phillips.

Monroe, N. C .-

11.00 A. M. and 7.30 P. M.-J. A. Clifton, D. D.

Announcements were made, and Conference adjourned with the Doxology, and the Benediction by Bishop Duncan

FOURTH DAY-SATURDAY.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Methodist Church, Chester, S. C., December 1st, 1900.

Pursuant to adjournment, Conference was called to order at 3.30 this P. M., Bishop Duncan in the Chair.

The opening devotions were conducted by A. J. Cauthen.

The Minutes of this morning's session were read and approved.

The following reports were presented and adopted: Report of the Board of Education, report of Sunday School Board, report of Missionary Treasurer.

Report No. 2 of the Committee on Conference Relations was presented and adopted, by which the supernumerary relation was granted Foster Speer, and not granted to A. W. Attaway.

Revs. D. M. Lettaker and H. C. Sprinkle, of the Western North Carolina Conference, were introduced.

Reports 1, 2 and 3 of the Joint Board of Finance were presented and

adopted, giving answer to Minute questions 29-32. (See Condensed Minutes.)

The following reports were presented and adopted: District Conference Journals, Epworth League Board, Books and Periodicals, Bible Cause, No. 1 of Board of Missions.

Report No. 2 of the Board of Missions was presented. Bishop Duncan ruled that such part of this report as recommended the appointment of a member of the Conference to the Oliver Gospel Mission could not be considered by the Conference, because such Mission did not come under the provisions of the discipline for appointments by the Bishop. The report, exclusive of this recommendation concerning the Gospel Mission, was adopted.

The report of the Committee on Minutes was presented. J B. Traywick moved to amend the report by substituting a plan of taking cash subscriptions for the Minutes at 15 cents each, to the amount of the assessment ordered by the Conference. The amendment prevailed, and the report as amended was adopted.

A collection to supplement the Minute Fund was taken by J. A. Clifton, and amounted to \$17.80.

The report of the Committee on Sabbath Observance was presented. T. C. O'Dell moved to strike out the words "except in cases of necessity" in the first resolution. S. A. Weber moved to lay the amendment on the table. The motion to table the amendment prevailed. The report was adopted as originally presented.

Question 45. Where shall the next Conference be held? was called. Charleston and Columbia were placed in nomination. Columbia received a majority of the votes of the Conference. and was declared the choice of the Conference. The selection of Columbia was made unanimous.

W. L. Wait moved that when the Conference adjourn, it be to meet at 8 o'clock this P. M, which motion prevailed.

Announcements were made, and Conference adjourned with the Doxology, and the Benediction by John O. Willson.

FOURTH DAY—SATURDAY.

EVENING SESSION.

Methodist Church, Chester, S. C., December 1st. 1900.

Pursuant to adjournment, Conference was called to order at 8 o'clock, Bishop W. W. Duncan in the Chair.

The opening devotions were conducted by S. Lander.

The Minutes of the afternoon session were read and approved.

On motion of S. A. Weber, Resolution 1, of Report No. 2, of the Board of Missions, was reconsidered, and on motion of S. H. Zimmerman, Resolution 1 was stricken out.

On motion of J. W. Kilgo, W. A. Massebeau was added to the Board of Trustees of the Cokesbury Conference School.

J. W. Elkins presented the report of the Board of Church Extension, which was adopted.

Resolutions offered by E. O. Watson, requiring reports to the Conference to be by charges, and not by churches as heretofore, were not adopted.

On motion of S. H. Zimmerman, the Secretaries were instructed to prepare blanks for reports to cover all requirements of the General Conference and the special needs of the South Carolina Conference.

Question 21-44 were answered by the Statistical Secretary's report. (See Condensed Minutes.)

Resolutions of thanks to the citizens of Chester, the several churches of the city, the railroads, the State Company, and the banks, were offered by J. S. Beasley, and were unanimously adopted. (See Resolutions.)

On motion of S. A. Weber, Conference adjourned with the Doxology, and the Benediction by Bishop Duncan, to meet at 3.30 to-morrow for a Memorial Session.

FIFTH DAY-SUNDAY.

Methodist Church, Chester, S. C., December 2nd, 1900.

Pursuant to adjournment, the Conference met in Memorial Session at 3.30 this P. M., Bishop Duncan in the Chair.

The opening devotions were conducted by S. Lander.

The report of the Committee on Memoirs was read:

A. McSwain Attaway read by S. Lander.

S. P. H. Elwell read by A. J. Stokes.

M. H. Pooser read by John O. Willson.

E. B. Loyless read by S. A. Weber.

E. G. Price read by J. Thomas Pate. Sidi H. Browne read by W. R. Richardson.

John Owen read by E. O. Watson.

Wives and widows read by J. Thomas Pate.

After tributes by a number of friends of the deceased preachers, the Memoirs were adopted as read.

Bishop Hargrove announced the Ordination of Deacons answering Question 9—What travelling preachers are ordained deacons? John H. Graves, Reuben W. Humphries, Ethan Z. James, A. Ellwood Holler. Julius E. Strickland.

Question 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Major M. Bird, Thomas L. Belvin, John A. Holland, Bob Gage Murphy, and J. LaVance Tyler.

Elders were then ordained by the Bishop,—answering Question 12—What travelling preachers are ordained Elders? Connor B. Burns

David W. Keller, William C. Kirkland, John C. Roper, F. Hawkins Shuler, and Wade H. Thrower.

Question 15-What local preachers are ordained elders? None.

On motion of J. B. Wilson, Conference adjourned with the Doxology, and the Benediction by Bishop Hargrove, to meet to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock, to receive the appointments.

SIXTH DAY-MONDAY,

Methodist Church, Chester, S. C., December 3rd, 1900. Conference met pursuant to adjournment, at 8 o'clock this morning, Bishop Hargrove in the Chair.

Bishop Hargrove conducted the opening devotions.

T. C. Ligon and A. W. Attaway were granted a location at their own request. (Question 16.)

A resolution offered by J. A. Rice and J. B. Wilson, forbidding the holding of more than one position by the same member of the Conference, was, on motion of A. J. Stokes, laid on the table.

The Bishop aunounced the Joint Board of Finance as follows, the first name for each district being the clerical, and the second the lay member of the Board:

Charleston-G. P. Watson, H. P. Williams.

Cokesbury—D. P. Boyd, J. F. Lyon.

Columbia—G. W. Davis, R. H. Jennings.

Florence—J. E. Rushton, G. G. Lynch.

Greenville-L. F. Beaty, R. S. Hill.

Marion—J. E. Beard, J. F. Breeden. .

Orangeburg—G. E. Stokes, O. B. Riley.

Rock Hill—N. B. Clarkson, J. M Riddle.

Spartanburg-R. L. Holroyd, C. P. Sanders.

Sumter-J. H. Thacker, R. Y. McLeod.

Bishop Hargrove announced the appointments answering Question 46—Where are the preachers stationed this year? (See Appointments.)

Conference adjourned sine die with the Doxology, and the Benediction by the Bishop.

III.

CONDENSED MINUTES

Of the One Hundred and Fifteenth Session of the South Carolina Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Held at Chester, South Carolina, Beginning November, 28, 1900, Ending December, 3, 1900.

Bishop R. K. HARGROVE,

President.

E. O. WATSON,
Secretary.

(Post Office of the Secretary—207 Calhoun Street, Charleston, S. C.)

- 1. Who are admitted on trial? James Thomas Fowler, Loring Price McGhee, William Clifton Smith, Barnwell Rhett Turnipseed.
- 2. Who remain on trial? F. Emory Hodges (D), John Thomas Macfarlane, Bob Gage Murphy (D), Emmett F. Scoggins, Henry L. Singleton, Robert S. Truesdale. [(L. L. Inabinet, not before the committee, and John B. Weldon, not approved in examination, were continued with this class.) (John W. Bailey (Elder), pursues his studies with this class.)]
 - 3. Who are discontinued? None.
- 4. Who are admitted into full connection? Olympia M. Abney, John H. Graves, Reuben W. Humphries, A. Ellwood Holler, Ethan Z. James, James L. Mullinix (E), Julius E. Strickland.
 - 5. Who are re-admitted? None.
- 6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? B. J. Guess, from the Texas Conference; Thomas F. Gibson, from the Western North Carolina Conference; B. D. Lucas, from the China Mission Conference; and H. I. Stephens, from the Baltimore Conference.
- 7. Who are the deacons of one year? Stannie H. Booth, William A. Fairey, James M. Lawson, Daniel A. Patrick, J. Marion Rogers, John W. Speake, J. R. Sojourner. (Robert C. Boulware, Sidi B. Harper, A. S. Lesley, and Foster Speer. not before the committee, were continued with this class.)
- 8. What travelling preachers are elected deacons? John H. Graves, Reuben W. Humphries, A. Ellwood Holler, Ethan Z. James, Julius E. Strickland.
- 9. What travelling preachers are ordained deacons? John H. Graves, Reuben W. Humphries, Ethan Z. James, A. Ellwood Holler, Julius E. Strickland.

- 10. What local preachers are elected deacons? Major M. Bird, Thomas L. Belvin, John A. Holland, Bob Gage Murphy, George P. Penny, J. LaVance Tyler.
- 11. What local preachers are ordained deacons? Major M. Bird, Thomas L. Belvin, John A. Helland, Bob Gage Murphy, J. LaVance Tyler.
- 12. What travelling preachers are elected elders? Connor B. Burns, David W. Keller, William C. Kirkland, John C. Roper, F. Hawkins Shuler, Wade H. Thrower.
- 13. What travelling preachers are ordained elders? Connor B. Burns, David W. Keller, William C. Kirkland, John C. Roper, F. Hawkins Shuler, Wade H. Thrower.
 - 14. What local preachers are elected elders? None.
 - 15. What local preachers are ordained elders? None.
- 16. Who are located this year? J. H. Noland, A. W. Attaway T. C. Ligon. (All at their own request.)
- 17. Who are supernumerary? R. C. Boulware, John Manning, S. A. Weber, W. H. Wroton, Foster Speer.
- 18. Who are superannuated? John Attaway, F. Auld, N. G. Ballenger, M. L. Banks, J. M. Carlisle, J. E. Carlisle, W. A. Clarke, A. M. Chreitzberg, O. A. Darby, D. D. Dantzler, R. L. Duffie, L. M. Hamer, T. G. Herbert, A. W. Jackson, W. W. Jones, P. F. Kistler, W. H. Kirton, L. C. Loyal, N. K. Melton, J. J. Neville, I. J. Newberry, J. A. Porter, T. P. Phillips, J. L. Sifly, J. F. Smith, A. J. Stafford, J. C. Stoll, A. W. Walker, C. E. Wiggins, J. A. Wood, J. J. Workman, T. E. Wannamaker, W. W. Williams.
- 19. What preachers have died during the past year? A. M. Attaway, S. H. Browne, S. P. H. Elwell. E. B. Loyless, John Owen, E. G. Price, M. H. Pooser.
- 20. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called, one by one, in open Conference, and their characters examined and passed. C. H. Clyde was found guilty of "improper conduct," and was suspended until May 21, 1901.
- 21. What is the number of local preachers and members in the several circuits, stations and missions of the Conference? 89 local preachers; 74,729 members. Total, 74,818.
 - 22. How many infants have been baptized during the year? 1,562.
 - 23. How many adults have been baptized during the year? 1,126.
 - 24. What is the number of Epworth Leagues? 47.
 - 25. What is the number of Epworth League members? 1,395.
 - 26. What is the number of Sunday Schools? 705.
 - 27. What is the number of Sunday School teachers? 4,853.
 - 28. What is the number of Sunday School scholars? 41,996.
- 29. What amount is necessary for the superannuated preachers, and the widows and orphans of preachers? \$11,000.
- 30. What has been collected on the foregoing account, and how has it been applied? \$6,514.48.

- 31. What has been contributed for missions? Foreign, \$10,444.21; Domestic, \$9,785.64.
 - 32 What has been contributed for Church Extension? \$2,842.68.
 - 33. What has been done for the American Bible Society? \$297.79.
- 34. What has been contributed for the support of presiding elders and preachers in charge? Presiding Elders. \$17,001.12; Preachers in charge, \$122.049.43.
- 35. What has been contributed for the support of Bishops? \$1.583.16.
- 36. What is the number of societies, and of houses of worship owned by them? Number of societies, 752; Number of houses of worship, 737.
- 37. What is the value of houses of worship, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$977,558; Indebtedness, \$26.536.
- 38. What is the number of pastoral charges, and of parsonages owned by them? Pastoral charges, 221; Number of parsonages, 182.
- 39. What is the value of parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$247,685; Indebtedness, \$17,272.50.
- 40. What is the number of districts, and of district parsonages? Number of districts, 10; Number of district parsonages, 10.
- 41. What is the value of district parsonages, and what is the amount of indebtedness thereon? Value, \$25,000; Indebtedness reported under parsonages.
- 42. What number of churches have been damaged or destroyed during the year by fire or storm, and what was the amount of damage? Number of churches damaged, 3; Amount of damage, \$1,000.
- 43. What are the insurance statistics? Insurance carried, \$270,100; Losses sustained, \$1,010; Premiums paid, \$1,600.99; Collections on losses, \$——.
 - 44. What are the educational statistics?

EDUCATIONAL STATISTICS.

South Carolina Annual Conference, November 28, 1900.

Name of Institution. Value of Property.	Endowment.	Teachers.	Pupils.
Wofford College \$125,000 00	\$64,000 00	8	182
Wofford Fitting School 10,000 00		2	63
Cokesbury Conf. School 3,000 00	815 00	6	56
Carlisle Fitting School. 20,000 00		4	75
Cola. Female College 75,000 00		14	126
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Total, 6. \$323,000 00	\$64,815 00	43	586

- 45. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Columbia S. C.
- 46. Where are the preachers stationed this year? (See Appointments.)

IV.

APPOINTMENTS FOR 1901.

(Names of Undergraduates are in *Italies*. Numerals indicate Number of Years on the Charge.)

CHARLESTON DISTRICT.		COKESBURY DISTRICT.	
A. J. Stokes P E. 3		R. A. Child, P. E. 2	
Allendale C. W. Creighton	1	AbbevilleR. H. Jones	1
BeaufortA. B. Earle	3	AntrevilleJohn H. Graves	1
Black SwampA. E. Holler	1.	ButlerH. W. Whittaker	2
Charleston—		CokesburyHenry Stokes	1
Trinity J. W. Daniel	1	Donald's W. T. Duncan	1
BethelE. O. Watson	2	GreenwoodP. L. Kirton	2
Spring Street H. I. Stephens	1	Greenwood and Abbeville	
CumberlandJ. L. Harley	2	Mills	1
CordesvilleW. J. DuRant,		Kinard'sT. F. Gibson	1
Supply	1	LowndesvilleJ. L. Daniel	1
CypressJ. L. Mullinnix	2	McCormickS. T. Blackman	1
EhrhardtE. M. McKissick	1	Mount CarmelH. C. Mouzon	1
GroverD. A. Calhoun	2	Ninety-SixM. M. Brabham	1
HamptonE. K. Moore	2	Newberry—	
HarleyvilleS. D. Vaughan	1	CentralW. I. Herbert	3
Hendersonville,		O'Neal StreetB. D. Lucas	1
O. N. Rountree	- 2	Newberry CtD. P. Boyd	2
McClellanville,		ParksvilleJ. T. Miller,	
J. E. Strickland	1	Supply	1
Mount Pleasant,		Phœnix J. F. Way	1
To be Supplied		Princeton S. W. Henry	2
PinopolisW. T. Patrick,		ProsperityW. B. Wharton	1
Supply	2	SaludaJ. C. Counts	1
Port RoyalR. E. Turnipseed	3	VerderyS. J. Bethea	2
RidgelandW. R. Buchanan,		WaterlooE. W. Mason	1
Supply	2	Cokesbury Conference School.	
RidgevilleR. W. Humphries	2	W. S. Stokes, Rector	3
Round OJ. C. Davis	2		
SummervilleW. L. Wait	1	COLUMBIA DISTRICT.	
St. GeorgeG. P. Watson	1		
St. Paul'sW. H. Murray,		E. T. Hodges, P. E. 3	
Supply	2	BatesburgJ. D. Crout	1
Walterboro W. C. Kirkland	1	Columbia—	
Chaplain Port Society,		Washington Street,	
P. A. Murray	2	M. L. Carlisle	1

Main Street,		2411119	1
S. H. Zimmerman	3		2
Green Street and Brookland.		110101100:::::	2
E. P. Hutson	1	Goorgoto William To and a	1
Granby and Richland,		Choracte in Contract	3
B. R. Turnipseed	1	HartsvilleJ. J. Stevenson	1
EdgewoodR. S. Truesdale	2	JohnsonvilleJ. R. Sojourner	2
EdgefieldG. W. Davis	2	KingstreeW. S. Martin	3
FairfieldR. W. Spigner	2	R C. Boulware, Sup'y	1
Fort Motte. F. S. Hook,		Lake CityJ. E. Rushton	2
Supply	1	LamarJ. B. Traywick	1
GranitevilleJ. E. Mahaffey	1	Lane'sR. M. DuBose	2
JohnstonT. J. Clyde	1	RomeE. G. Kilgore, Supply	1
LangleyS. H. Booth	1	Salter'sW. H. Thrower	2
LeesvilleJ. F. Anderson	3	Scranton. W. C. Kelly, Supply	2
LewiedaleJ. M. Lawson	2	South FlorenceO. L. DuRant	2
LexingtonJ. N. Wright,		TimmonsvilleH J. Cauthen	2
Supply	2	GREENVILLE DISTRICT.	
Lexington Fork,	_		
J. S. Abercrombie	2	9. Di 11 1200, - v	
RidgewayW. S. Goodwin	2	Anderson—	9
(One to be Supplied.)		St. John'sJ. B. Campbell	2
Upper St. Matthew's,		West EndO. M. Abney	1
C. D. Mann	1	OrrvilleB. M. Robertson	1
Warrenville. D. A. Lewis,		Easley and Bethesda,	
Supply	1	W. E. Wiggins	2
WinnsboroE. P. Taylor	1	Fountain InnG. C. Leonard	2
Epworth Orphanage—		Greenville—	
G. H. Waddell Sup't	6	Buncombe Street,	2
T. C. O'Dell. Assistant Sup't	1	G. T. Harmon	2
Paine Institute,		Highland and City Mills	.1
G. W. Walker, President	16	J. W. Speake	1
Southern Christian Advocate,		(One to be Supplied)	_
John O. Willson, Editor	7	St. Paul'sM. B. Kelly	3
Columbia Female College,		Greenville CtT. J. White	2
W. W. Daniel, President	1	Greer'sJ. C. Roper	3
Conference Secretary of Mis-		(One to be Supplied.)	
sionsJohn A. Rice	1	McClureJ. W. Bailey	1
		North Pickens C. L. McCain,	
FLORENCE DISTRICT.		Supply	
Marion Dargan, P. E. 3		PelzerT. G. Herbert, Jr	4
Cartersville. William Roof,		PendletonR. E. Stackhouse	. 2
Supply	, 2	D D D11	. 2
Cheraw Station . L. P. McGhee		C1-l	1
Cheraw CtJ. B. Weldon	i 3		
Claussen J. L. Ray	v 2		
ClydeW. M. Harder	,		1 2
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Starr and IvaL. L. Inabinet	1	North Marlboro.T. L. Belvin,	
Foster Speer, Sup'y.		Supply	1
TownvilleS. M. Jones,		North MullinsG. R. Shaffer	2
Supply	1	WaccamawG. W. Gatlin	2
Traveller's RestB. J. Guess	1	ORANGEBURG DISTRICT.	
Walhalla and Newry,		H. B. Browne, P. E. 3	
C. W. Burgess, Supply	1	Aiken F. H. Shuler	1
WestminsterD. W. Keller	_	BambergM. W. Hook	*
West Pickens. J. P. Attaway		×BarnwellJ. G. Beckwith	2
Williamston and Belton,		BranchvilleW. A. Wright	2
A. J. Cauthen, Jr	1	Boiling Springs,	~V
Williamston Ct. J. M. Rogers	1×		1
Williamston Female College,	1/		1
	00	Denmark. J G. E. Stokes	2
S. Lander, President	20	W. H. Wroton,	
Student in Vanderbilt Univer-		Supernumerary.	
sityS. B. Harper	1	EdistodA. J. Cauthen	10
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MARION DISTRICT.		J. C. Yongue	11
W. C. Power, P. E. 3		OrangeburgW. A. Rogers	34 X
Bayboro. I. N. Stone, Supply	1 4	Orangeburg CtW. A. Pitts	1
Bennettsville Station,	•	OrangeJ. D. Frierson	1
C. B. Smith	1	×ProvidenceB. M. Grier	21
		RowesvilleJ. C. Chandler	2
Bennettsville Ct. J. W. Ariail	1	Smoak'sW. C. Gleaton,—	~
Bingham To be Supplied.	1	Supply	1
BlenheimJ. E. Beard	1		1-
BrightsvilleW. B. Baker	3	Springfield E. A. Wilkes	1
Britton's NeckW. E. Barre	2	M. M. Ferguson,	
BucksvilleJ. C. Welch,		Supernumerary.	
Supply	1	SwanseaJ. L. Tyler, Supply	A STATE OF A
CentenaryJ. S. Porter	2	Wagener. J. K. Inabinet,	1
Clio and BeulahT. M. Dent	3	Supply	1
Jno. Manning, Sup'y		WillistonG. W. Dukes,	
ConwayJ. W. Elkins	3	-Supply-	-1
Conway and Cool Springs,		ROCK HILL DISTRICT.	
T. B. Reynolds	2	H. W. Bays, P. E. 2	
Dillon C. C. Herbert	3	BlacksburgD. M. McLeod	3
LattaDove Tiller	1	BlackstockR. W. Barber	1
Little RockJ. A. Campbell	3	ChesterT. E. Morris	1
Loris and Little River,	_	Chester and Lancaster Mills,	
M. F. Dukes	1	B. G. Murphy	1
H. L. Singleton	1	Chester CtG. M. Boyd	ī
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MarionJ. E. Grier	1		1
Marion Ct. and Mills,		East Chester. E. H. Beckham	1
T T ~ .	1	East LancasterW. C. Winn	1
E. F. Scoggins			
McColl and Bennettsville Mills,		Fort MillR. A. Yongue	. 3
	1 2	Hickory Grove, P. B. Ingraham	. • . 1

JeffersonL. L. Bedenbaugh 3	Spartanburg—
LancasterJ. M. Steadman 1	CentralW. R. Richardson 1
Lancaster CtJ. W. Neely 1	Duncan W. A. Fairey 3
North Rock Hill. W. H. Ariail 1	Bethel and Glendale,
RichburgN. B. Clarkson 2	R. L. Holroyd 2
Rock Hill—	Union—
St. John'sJ. S. Beasley 3	Grace Church,
Laurel Street and Highland	W. A. Massebeau 4
Park To be Supplied	Union Mills E. Z. James 1
Manchester and Mount Holly,	WhitmireW. B. Justus 3
J. B. Harris 1	SUMTER DISTRICT.
VanWyckJ. I. Spinks,	J. W. Kilgo, P. E. 1
Supply 2	BethanyJ. R. Copeland 2
YorkvilleA. N. Brunson 1	BishopvilleA. C. Walker 1
S. A. Weber, Sup'y.	CamdenJ. L. Stokes 1
York CtJ. M. Shell, Supply 1	Camden Ct. G. P. Penny,
SPARTANBURG DISTRICT.	Supply 1
SPANIANDUNG DISTRICT.	ForestonF. E. Hodges 1
W. P. Meadors, P. E. 3	Heath Springs,
Belmont M. L. Banks, Jr 2	D. Arthur Phillips
Clifton and Cowpens,	JordanW. A. Betts 1
W. J. Snyder 1	KershawR. C. McRoy
CherokeeJ. N. Isom 1	LynchburgJ. W. Humbert
ClintonJ. M. Fridy 2	
CampobelloA. H. Best 3	
EnoreeW. H. Miller 1	00.10
GaffneyW. H. Hodges 3	
Gaffney Ct D. A. Patrick 1	110
JonesvilleD. Hucks 1	
KeltonS. T. Creech, Supply 1	Carron
Laurens-	Smithville W. C. Smith
St. John's W. B. Duncan 1	SumterJ. A. Clifton
Laurens MillsJ. T. Fowler 1	
North Laurens . J. K. McCain	•
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John Attaway, F. Auld, N. G. Ballenger, M. L. Banks, J. M. Carlisle, J. E. Carlisle, W. A. Clarke, A. M. Chreitzberg, O. A. Darby, D. D. Dantzler, R. L. Duffie, L. M. Hamer, T. G. Herbert, A. W. Jackson, W. W. Jones, P. F. Kistler, W. H. Kirton, L. C. Loyal, N. K. Melton, J. J. Neville, I. J. Newberry, J. A. Porter, T. P. Phillips, J. L. Sifly, J. F. Smith, A. J. Stafford, J. C. Stoll, A. W. Walker, C. E. Wiggins, J. A. Wood, J. J. Workman, T. E. Wanna maker, W. W. Williams.

V

REPORTS.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.



JAS. H. KIRKLAND, PH. D.,
CHANCELLOR VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY

As a church we may congratulate ourselves that we still possess the opportunity which the church has held for centuries, the education of her children. There are forces which tend to take from us this opportunity, and the advanced stand which our rivals have taken in higher education, makes it necessary for the church to move forward. To retain our children as members of our church, we must control their education. The salvation of the State. as well as the hopes of the church is in Christian young men and women trained in Christian homes, taught in Christian schools, and consecrated at Christian altars.

We rejoice at the success of the Twentieth Century movement, not only in the amount of money obtained for our

schools, but more for the educational awakening of the people as manifested in the marked increase of attendance at our schools. This success should inspire us to greater efforts for still larger results.

We do urge our preachers to continue their efforts until they have secured a contribution from every member of the church for this cause. Let them inform our people that this fund is to be set apart as a sacred trust, the interest alone of which is to be used for the maintenance of our institutions of learning, unless otherwise directed by the donors. In order that prompt collections of what is subscribed, and

what shall be subscribed, may be made, your Board offers the following Resolution:

Resolved, That the Presiding Elders shall secure from each pastor in their respective districts the amount that has been subscribed to the fund, and at each Quarterly Conference inquire and have recorded the amount that has been paid on said subscription, and to make report to the Conference Secretary of Education each quarter, of the amount collected, to be published in the Advocate.

We would respectfully recommend that the Trustees and Faculty of Wofford College arrange to relieve Professor J. G. Clinkscales from all services in the Fitting School, so that he may have opportunity to go before the church and represent the College.

We move that the resolution passed at the Conference of 1888, concerning the appointment and aid of beneficiaries by the districts be rescinded, and offer instead that any ministerial student entering Wofford College as such, shall be recommended by the Quarterly Conference of his charge; and he shall, on entrance, give his note for his tuition which, upon his admission into the itinerancy, shall be destroyed, otherwise the same shall be collected. The Treasurer of this Board is authorized and ordered to pay over all directed funds, as the same is received by him.

WOFFORD COLLEGE.

We rejoice to report this institution in a most prosperous condition. We give in full the President's report:

"The 47th collegiate year began September 28, 1900. Up to date 182 students have been registered in college, 9 of these being young ladies taking the full course, and 56 in the Fitting School. All things seem to promise a pleasant and profitable year. The attendance is the largest we have ever had."

COLUMBIA FEMALE COLLEGE.

We are glad to know that the college is filled to its capacity. Dr. W. W. Daniel, the new President, has manifested both zeal and wisdom in conducting the affairs of the institution.

WILLIAMSTON FEMALE COLLEGE.

This college has had a good opening, having on its rolls 90 pupils, who show themselves to be earnest, studious and orderly young ladies. Everything promises a successful year.

PREPARATORY SCHOOLS.

The Carlisle Fitting School has in attendance 75 students. The work done in this school, as well as that at Wofford Fitting School, is most excellent. The Cokesbury Conference School is reported as doing hopeful and satisfactory work. There are 56 pupils enrolled.

We ask that an assessment of \$4,000 be made for the current expenses of Wofford College; that \$450 be raised for general education, and that \$700 be raised for Paine and Lane Institutes.

We request the Bishop to appoint J. W. Kilgo Conference Secretary of Education; W. W. Daniel President of Columbia Female College; S. Lander President Williamston Female College; G.W. Walker. President of Paine Institute; W. S. Stokes, Rector of Cokesbury Conference School; L. F. Beaty, Assistant Editor of Sunday School Literature; S. B. Harper, Student at Vanderbilt University.

We nominate the following Boards of Trustees:

Wofford College—Bishop W. W. Duncan, W. A. Rogers, R. A. Child. E. T. Hodges, Marion Dargan, H. Baer, D. R. Duncan, C. G. Dantzler, C. A. Wood, J. L. Glenn, G. E. Prince, W. E. Burnett, J. B. Cleveland.

Columbia Female College—E. O. Watson, W. L. Wait, R. H. Jones, T. C. O'Dell, L. F. Beaty, A. B. Earle, T. E. Morris, R. H. Jennings, W. J. Murray, M. R. Hamer, G. H. Bates, F. J. Pelzer, P. L. Harden. Williamston Female College—A. J. Cauthen. Jr., P. F. Kilgo, J. B. Wilson, J. E. Grier, J. L. Stokes.

Cokesbury Conference School—J. C. Chandler, S. D. Vaughan, W. I. Herbert, W. S. Martin, R. L. Holroyd, W. M. Duncan.

Wofford Fitting School and Carlisle Fitting School—Same as Wofford College.

J. THOMAS PATE,

President Pro Tem.

J. W. KILGO, Secretary Pro Tem.



BIRTHPLACE OF DR. JAS. H. CARLISLE, WINNSBORO, S. C.

EPWORTH ORPHANAGE REPORT.

To the South Carolina Conference, Methodist Episcopal Church, South, Convened in Chester, S. C., December 28th, 1900.

Dear Fathers and Brethren:

In making this, our Fifth Annual Report, it gives us much pleasure to say that the year just closed has been, in all respects, the most progressively successful in the history of the Epworth Orphanage. There has been a steady improvement from the beginning until now.

There are now 112 children in the Orphanage.

We report unusual good health among the inmates of the institution. There has been one death. Since our last report the infirmary has been completed and furnished. A trained nurse has been employed, and we have an excellent physician, Dr. L. K. Philpot, who cheerfully gives his service without charge.

The children have all been neatly and comfortably clothed, well fed with good and wholesome food, and clean and well supplied dormitories have been provided.

The matrons have been faithful and efficient.

The educational department has been first-class. Four teachers have been employed, who conduct a primary and high school curriculum, equal to our best graded schools.

Special attention is given to religious instruction and training. A church has been constructed with 97 members, 78 of whom are orphans. The church is in Edgewood Circuit, Rev. R. S. Trusedale, P. C.

There have been many material improvements in the way of building and repairing. The plant is now valued at \$50,000.00.

The farm has made the best returns this year of all previous years. Under judicious cultivation and fertilizing, the lands are increasing in value and productiveness.

The printing department has given a handsome balance in favor of the Orphanage.

The marble yard business is increasing each month. Satisfactory work is being done in this department, at a good profit.

Our income from all sources, not including the farm, has been sixteen thousand eight hundred and sixteen dollars and seventy-four cents (\$16,816.74).

The administration of our Superintendent has been most heartily endorsed by the Board.

The Giles J. Patterson Memorial Building no longer supplies sufficient room for school and chapel purposes, and we have instructed our Superintendent to enlarge the building as soon as adequate funds can be procured. We commend their enterprise to the liberality of the patrons and friends of the institution.

We request that the Presiding Bishop appoint Rev. G. H. Waddell as the Superintendent of the Epworth Orphanage.

The physician of our Superintendent has advised that he must either have competent assistance or resign his position. The Board considers his service now well nigh indispensable, and therefore recommend that an Assistant Superintendent be granted him.

(Signed) A. J. STOKES, President.

Chester, S. C., November 28th, 1900.

ORPHANAGE REPORT No. 2.

We request that the Presiding Bishop appoint Rev. T. C. O'Dell as the Assistant Superintendent of the Epworth Orphanage. (Signed)

A. J. STOKES, President.

REPORT OF SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD.

We are grateful to God for the divine blessings that have rested upon the Sunday School work during the year now closing. While we regret to learn of even the slightest decline in Sunday School activity in any part of the world, we are glad that such is not the case with us. We believe that there is more efficient work done in the schools within the bounds of the South Carolina Conference now than ever before.

As usual, the greatest need is for well qualified teachers. We are glad to note the increased interest manifested in Sunday School normal work.

Your Board, through its Executive Committee, prepared this year a regular normal course for teachers—"The Palmetto Normal Course." We do not mean for this, in the least, to supplant the normal lessons in the Sunday School Magazine but to supplement it. We respectfully urge that, where practicable, the pastors introduce this course into their schools. Upon its completion, a certificate of graduation will be awarded.

We are sorry to learn that there are Methodist schools using any literature other than that so ably prepared by our Sunday School editors and their efficient co-laborers, and so handsomely gotten out by our own publishing house. It is unsurpassed in quality, and we see no reason why any Methodist school should go elsewhere for literature.

As the Board charged with your Sunday School interests, we wish to express our high appreciation of the excellent work done by our Sunday School Editors and their co-laborers. We learn with pleasure that Dr. Atkins is arranging a reading course for teachers. We would also emphasize the circulation of the Children's Visitor.

We offer the following resolutions:

- 1. That we respectfully urge our Presiding Elders to arrange for and hold District Conferences in accordance with the provisions of the discipline.
- 2. That an Annual Sunday School Convention be held during the ensuing year, arrangements for which shall be made by our Executive Committee.
- 3. That hereafter we hold an Anniversary of the Sunday School Board during each Annual Conference Session.
- 4. That it is with great pleasure and profit that we have heard our Sunday School Editor, Dr. James Atkins, and we pray God's richest blessings upon him in his great work.

Respectfully submitted.

WATSON B. DUNCAN Secretary.

J. S. BEASLEY, Chairman.

S. S. REPORT No. 2.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT, 1900.

Amount on hand, \$344.27. The following amounts were paid:

Board of Education	34 39
General S. S. Board	34 39
Foreston S. S	8 50
Epworth Orphanage	40 00
Claussen Ct	10 00
McColl Mission	10 00
Bucksville Ct	25 00
Orange Mills Mission	15 00
Greenville City Mission	20 00
Marion Ct. and Mission	15 00
North Pickens Ct	10 00
Britton's Neck Ct	5 00
Georgetown Ct	5.00
Marion Mission, J. W. Galbreath	2 00
Laurel St. S. S.	20 00
Parksville Ct	6 90
Expenses, 1899	5 42
Expenses, 1900	4 86
Orangeburg Mission S. S	40 00
On Publication Year Book	33 71

Total\$344 27 WAITSON B. DUNCAN, Treasurer.

REPORT OF EPWORTH LEAGUE BOARD.

It is with regret that we note the small interest taken in our young people's organization throughout our Conference. The young life of the church, in which there are such wonderful possibilities, does not rise to the measure of its possibilities, because there is a lack of organization, and the want of a single purpose. We are gratified that our State League Conference last May determined to raise the sum of \$500 for our Cuba Mission work. This field lies at our very door, and naturally appeals to us. We would encourage them in this work, and we wish to call the attention of all our pastors to this work. We would recommend that where there are Leagues, our pastors will urge them to immediate action in behalf of this worthy cause.

We find that there are 48 Senior Leagues, with 1,325 members.

Again, our League Organ, the Epworth Era, is called to the attention of our pastors and people. There must be enlightenment and spiritual helpfulness wherever it goes.

J. THOMAS PATE, Chairman. W. A. ROGERS.

PETER STOKES, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON BIBLE CAUSE.

After hearing the address of Dr. T. H. Law, Field Agent of the American Bible Society, as to the work of that Society and the wide and effectual door now open for the distribution of the Word of God, both in home and foreign fields, we express our hearty appreciation of the work being wrought by the American Bible Society, and we urge upon the preachers and the people the necessity of more liberal contributions for this cause. We learn that only about two-thirds of the charges in our Conference annually take collections for this cause. We also urge the preachers to carry out the requirement of the discipline, and take this collection in every church. Therefore, be it

Resolved, That we signalize the first year of the new century by presenting this cause to every congregation in our charges, and taking collections for the same.

G. P. WATSON, Chairman.

W. J. CARTER, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SABBATH OBSERVANCE.

The Christian Church must ever stand for the maintenance of the Christian Sabbath. It is a necessary institution for the growth and development of all true spirituality, and its beneficent influences are felt wherever it is regarded and observed. Infinite Wisdom and Love made it an essential part of the plan of government for the human race, and its great importance is emphasized again and again in the Holy Scriptures. not only by the demands made for its observance, but also by the woes and curses which are pronounced against those who refuse to respect its sanctity.

Our own beloved Zion, whenever it has spoken on this subject, has given forth no uncertain deliverance, but beginning with the General Rule against the profanation of the Sabbath, it has, from time to time, declared unequivocally against those customs and practices which would convert this holy day into a time for worldly business, or for worldly pleasure and sport.

We would recommend the following Resolutions on this subject, at this time:

- 1. That all our preachers and people are most earnestly urged to discountenance all customs and practices which, in any way, tend to the violation of the sanctity of the Sabbath Day, and among these may be specially mentioned travelling on this day, except on occasions of necessity, and the patronizing of the Sunday newspaper and the Sunday mail, as well as the grosser evils of the Sunday excursion, and the visiting of the Sunday pleasure resorts.
- 2. That our preachers are requested to preach on this subject at least once during the coming year to all our congregations.
- 3. That we cordially approve of the work of the Sunday League of America, and wish it God-speed in its efforts in behalf of a proper observance of the Sabbath Day

ANDREW C. DIBBLE, Chairman.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON TEMPERANCE.

The silent, seductive, stupendous influence of the whiskey traffic continues its nefarious work of degrading a large per cent. of our population. The liquer business—perhaps more than any other one agency of the devil—is responsible for the poverty and crime incident to our civilization. Its effects may be seen in the vast amount of physical imbecility, intellectual degradation, ignorance, poverty, crime and vice, which is common everywhere.

In view of these facts, we recommend:

I. That as an Annual Conference, we continue to preach the principles of temperance as they are taught in God's Word, being encour aged to believe that as these principles of the Gospel are pressed upon the consciences of men, they will bear fruit, both in the lives of individuals, and in a deeper and wider public sentiment.

II. That as an Annual Conference, we set ourselves on record again as standing in a relation of unqualified opposition to the legalizing of the sale of whiskey, either under "High License" or "Dispensary," as we regard the same as being inconsistent with Christian civilization.

III. We commend the work of the "Christian Temperance Workers" in South Carolina.

R. E. STACKHOUSE, Chairman.

W. C. KIRKLAND, Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON BOOKS AND PERIODICALS.

The Committee on Books and Periodicals expresses its gratification at the condition of our Publishing House, as appears from the report submitted.

We are pleased to commend the Nashville Christian Advocate. It is ably edited, and worthily fills the place of a connectional organ.

We are sorry to learn that The Methodist Review does not pay expenses. Its high grade as a periodical makes it worthy of a place on the table of every thoughtful man.

The Review of Missions is of great value to the church. It gives information of work done, and of the need in all mission fields; and affords a sure and reliable means for missionary work and inspiration.

We are pleased to note the high grade of recent books issued by our Publishing House.

We would especially emphasize the merit and high character of our Sunday School periodicals. The Magazine is one of the very best. Its make-up shows the ability and consecration of the editors, and its contents are calculated to largely increase the spirituality of the Sunday School.

The influence of the Children's Visitor for good upon the lives of our children is incalculable. It is a marvel of cheapness, and should be in the hands of all our young people.

We are pleased to learn that the number of subscribers to the Southern Christian Advocate is increasing, and that there are now about 4,400 subscribers, and we express the hope that the earnest efforts of preachers and presiding elders will soon add largely to the subscription list. This paper ought to be in every Methodist home. It fills a place that no other can fill.

M. L. CARLISLE, Chairman.

WM. S. MORRISON, Secretary.

REPORT OF PUBLISHING COMMITTEE.

The Publishing Committee of the Southern Christian Advocate beg leave to submit their report as follows:

Dr. John O. Willson, the Editor-in-Chief, through another year, as in the past, has done his work faithfully and effectually. He has stood for the right in religion and Methodism, regardless of consequences. His work merits and meets our unqualified endorsement.

Dr. Samuel A. Weber, the sweet-spirited, cultured, Christian gentleman that he is, has filled acceptably and well the place of Assistant Editor.

Under the editorial conduct of these two brethren, for another year the Old Southern has paid regularly its appreciated weekly visits to its subscribers.

The publishers, The State Company, have been faithful and prompt in their work. Comparison with others of the Advocate family shows that not only in the matter, but in mechanical make-up of the paper, our Advocate stands high up on the list. We desire to give permanent expression of our appreciation of the earnest efforts of the publishers to fulfill the conditions of the contract, in giving us a neat and substantial paper.

We desire further to express our appreciation of the altogether pleasant business relations with the President of The State Company. He has been always the courteous gentleman.

And without prejudice to either party, the contract with The State Company for the publication of the Advocate has been cancelled, to take effect January 1st, 1901.

We have completed a contract with R. Lewis Berry & Company, of Orangeburg, to publish the paper for the next four years, beginning January 1st, 1901. After said date the Advocate will be issued from Orangeburg, S. C.

Your committee would call special attention to the fact that under this new contract, as in the past, our preachers are pledged to active agency in the circulation of the paper. They are further pledged as agents to make settlement annually in full for all subscriptions charged to them during the year.

The royalty account has been audited, and found to be correct.

Respectfully submitted.

J. S. BEASLEY.

H. B. BROWNE.

D. R. DUNCAN.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON DISTRICT CONFERENCE JOURNALS.

We have made a careful examination of the Journals of the several Districts, and find them excellently kept. The Journal of the Orangeburg District merits especial mention as a model record. All the Journals, however, are all that we could expect.

(Signed) R. W. BARBER,

HENRY CAUTHEN,

Chairman.

Secretary.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MINUTES.

Your committee beg leave to submit the following report:

We have examined the accounts of the Secretary, and find them to be correct, with a balance due him of \$42.08.

The following amounts have been received for publication of the Minutes of the present Session:

From Joint Board of Finance	\$540 82
From Legal Conference	20 00
Total	\$560.82

We nominate Revs. E. O. Watson and S. H. Zimmerman Editors of the Minutes of this Session.

We recommend that an assessment of \$700.00 be made for the ensuing year.

We also recommend that cash subscriptions be taken before Conference, at fifteen cents a copy to the amount, at least, of the assessment on each charge for Minutes, and that the list of subscribers be left with the plan of the charge.

T. C. O'DELL, Chairman.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF MISSIONS.

We are glad to report an improvement in our Domestic Mission field. Several charges that hitherto have been helped are now self-supporting. Notably among these is St. Paul's, Greenville, which now takes rank with our strong appointments. All honor to the noble, devoted preachers who so faithfully and willingly labored in obscurity and under difficulties to achieve such results. Some other charges, by the very nature of the cases, must ever get help from the strong.

Our factory fields present problems too hard for us, and indeed, the

whole church is laboring with this new and stupendous phase of our civil, economic and religious life. We trust that the Bishop and his cabinet will, by their appointments and their own work, be able next year to give at least a partial solution to this vexed problem. An awful obligation confronts us

Your Board has passed the following Resolutions concerning the reports on Domestic Mission charges:

- 1. That blanks with questions covering the information needed by this Board, be prepared and sent out, and that each preacher serving a charge receiving aid from this Board, be required to fill out said blanks and present them to this Board.
- 2. That the said blanks have place on them for a statement from the Presiding Elder of the charge concerning the wants of the charge for the ensuing year.
- 3. That no charge can or will be considered for continued appropriation unless the data called for above be rendered to this Board, and that we withhold final settlement until satisfactory explanation be made of any failure to render the report required.
- 4. That the preachers in charge of Missions, and their Presiding Elders, be requested to supplement the written report with such oral statement before the Board as they may deem necessary.

Dr. Lambuth, one of our General Secretaries, met with the Board. He furnished considerable light on the conditions obtaining in foreign fields. The error so assiduously spread that the missionaries are responsible for the late carnage in China is most abundantly refuted by his showing of the case. In view of the open doors in every mission field, and the necessity of providing our missionaries with the means adequate to meet the demands which have come upon them, we offer the following Resolution:

1. That we raise 50 per cent. of the assessment for Foreign and Domestic Missions by the 1st of March.

A Memorial from the Charleston District Conference requesting that the Board of Missions authorize the borrowing of 25 per cent. of Domestic Mission appropriations has been before us, and after careful consideration, we do not deem such action advisable.

C. E. SMITH, Secretary.

REPORT No. 2 OF BOARD OF MISSIONS.

Your Board offers the following:

Resolved, That our preachers be urged both to take and circulate the Review of Missions.

The Board recommends the following appointments: J. A. Rice, Conference Missionary Secretary: P. A. Murray, Chaplain Port Society, Charleston, S. C. CHAS. B. SMITH, Secretary.

APPROPRIATIONS BY BOARD OF MISSIONS FOR 1901.

CHARLESTON DISTRICT.

CHARLESTON DISTRICT.		
Cumberland\$700	00	
Cordesville	00	
Port Royal	00	
St. Paul's 300	00	
Mount Pleasant	00	
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COLUMBIA DISTRICT.	\$1,650	00
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Green Street and Brookland\$700		
Granby and Richland		
Edgewood		
Fort Motte		
Langley		
Warrenville		
Edgefield		
Lewiedale		
	\$2,300	00
COKESBURY DISTRICT.		٠.
Greenwood and Abbeville\$500	00	ę
Kinard's		
Parksville		١,
O'Neal Street		
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FLORENCE DISTRICT.	\$1,300	00
Cartersville\$200	00	
Salter's		
Clyde 200		٠.
Scranton		
Hartsville		
Lane's		
Cheraw		
Georgetown Ct	00	
Rome		٠
South Florence		
GREENVILLE DISTRICT.	\$2,000	00
Orrville\$300	00	*
Highland and City Mills		
Westminster		
Traveller's Rest		

North Pickens...... 200 00

	150 00
Townville	
Williamston Ct	
West Pickens	
Pickens Ct	300 00
MARION DISTRICT.	\$2,700 00
	8150 OA
Bayboro	150 00
Britton's Neck	
Bucksville	
Conway	
McColl and Bennettsville Mills	
North Marlboro	
Marion Ct. and Mills	200 00
	\$1,950 00
ORANGEBURG DISTRIC	T.
Aiken	\$700 00
Swansea	225 00
Wagener	
Williston Ct. and Mills	
	\$1,350 00
ROCK HILL DISTRICT	
Blackstock	.\$300 00
Chester and Lancaster Mills	. 400 00
Laurel Street Station and Highland Park	.300 00
Fort Mill	. 100 00
North Rock Hill	. 100 00
	\$1,200 00
SPARTANBURG DISTRI	CT.
Bethel and Glendale	.\$300 00
Clifton and Cowpens	
Union Mills	
Laurens	
Santuc	•
Whitmire	
Campobello	
Gaffney Mills	
Duncan	
	\$1 550 00

SUMTER DISTRICT.

Bethany\$	200	00
Camden	200	00
Foreston	125	00
Sumter Ct	100	00
Wateree	200	00
Wedgefield	200	00
Magnolia St	600	00

\$1,625 00

REPORT OF TREASURER OF BOARD OF MISSIONS.

	Foreign.	Domest	ic.
Collected on Assessment	.\$10,135 80	\$ 9,663	94
From Legal Conference		275	00
From Collection at Conference		25	00
Balance from Last Year		57	77
Total	.\$10,160 80	\$10,021	
Expenses of Office	. 1 00	_	00
	\$10,159 80	\$10,020	
Paid General Board Treasurer	. 10,159 80		
Paid Domestic Missionaries		10,015	62
Balance in HandWALTER I.		*	09
WADIEL I.	mender,	reasurer	

REPORT OF WOMAN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

Statistical and Financial Report of the South Carolina Conference Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, from October 1st, 1899, to 1900:

Number of adult societies, 192; members, 3,380. Of young people's and juvenile societies, 98; members, 2,500. Total societies, 190; members, 5,880. Subscribers to Woman's Missionary Advocate, 920; subscribers to Little Worker, 1,100. Literature distributed, 400 copies of the Twenty-second Annual Report; 1,500 copies of the Minutes of the Twenty-first Annual Session of the Conference Society, and a large number of leaflets.

Amount remitted to the Treasurer of the Woman's Board of Foreign Missions from October 1st, 1899, to 1900, \$7 321.34; collected for Conference Society expense fund and publication of Minutes, \$469.17; grand total, \$7,790.51. Increase over collections of previous year,

\$1,042,27. Included in the total is \$752.44 contributed for Twentieth Century Thank Offering.

Respectfully submitted.

MRS J. W. HUMBERT, Cor. Sec'y Conf. Society.

MRS. J. W. GREENE, Treasurer Conf. Society.

REPORT OF WOMAN'S HOME MISSION SOCIETY.

Statistical and Financial Report of the South Carolina Conference, Woman's Home Mission Society, of the Methodist Church, South, December 1st, 1899, to December 1st, 1900:

Number of adult societies, 24; members. 250. Number of juvenile societies, 1; members, 14. Total societies, 25; members, 264. Subscribers to Our Home, 65. Literature distributed, 62 copies of the Fourteenth Annual Report; 3,500 leaflets.

Amount remitted to the Treasurer of the Woman's Board of Missions for Home Missions, from December, 1899, to December 1st, 1900:

Dues	\$240	73
For Key West	99	75
Twentieth Century	. 65	87
Collected for Publication of Minutes and Conti	n-	
gent Fund	10	60
50 per cent. of Dues returned by Gen. Treas.	to	
Conf. Treas	118	15
E. O. Fund (5 Patrons)	25	00 .
1 Scholarship (Mountain School)	25	00
Baby Roll	. 2	25
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Respectfully submitted. Mrs. W. I	⊿. WA.	IT,

Respectfully submitted.
MRS. W. A. ROGERS,

MRS. W. L. WAIT, Cor. Secy, Conf. Society.

Treasurer of Conf. Society.

REPORT OF BOARD OF CHURCH EXTENSION.

The following is the report of the Board of Church Extension for the Conference Year 1900:

The amount collected for 1899 was in excess of that of 1898 by \$365.64. But the collections for 1900 fall below the figures of last year to the amount of \$167.91. This amount has been collected as follows:

Charleston District\$	329	07
Cokesbury District	254	93
Columbia District	275	76
Florence District	244	50
Greenville District	316	42
Marion District	329	13
Orangeburg District	317	78
Rock Hill District	235	08
Spartanburg District	229	28
Sumter District	288	44
Total\$2	,830	89

The disbursement of this amount has been made as follows:

amount paid General Board\$1,401 05	
amount paid Incidental Expenses 25 00	
amount paid Churches—	
Prospect Church, Orangeburg County	40 00
Adam's Run, Colleton County	90 00
Bluffton, Beaufort County	120 00
Cave's Church, Barnwell County	40 00
Creight Chapel, Fairfield County	25 00
McColl Ct. and Mission, Marlboro County	125 00
Honea Path, Anderson County	85 00
Mount Bethel, Pickens County	27 50
Santuc, Union County	70 00
Manchester Mills, York County	230 00
Abbeville Mills, Abbeville County	280 00
New Market, Abbeville County	120 00
New Brookland, Lexington County	123 54
Total\$	1,376 04

We request the Joint Board of Finance to apportion \$5,000 to the districts of the Conference for the year 1901.

(Signed) JOHN W. ELKINS, Secretary.

MARION DARGAN, President.

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(REPORT No. 1.)

REPORT OF THE JOINT BOARD OF FINANCE.

The Joint Board of Finance of the South Carolina Conference respectfully submit the following report, which includes all money paid upon the different assessments ordered by the Conference, and more fully shown by a tabulated statement thereof, hereto attached, as part of this report:

Statements of Collections on Conference Assessments Paid to Joint Board of Finance.

DISTRICT.		Bishops.		Conference Claimants.	-	Foreign	Missions.		Domestic Missions.			Domestic Missions.			Church Extension.			Education.	
Charleston Cokesbury Columbia Florence Greenville Marion Orangeburg Rock Hill Spartanburg Sumter		204 16 142 84 153 94 138 84 167 17 179 06 172 04 144 18 133 75 150 88	\$	637	86 88 06 97 77 66 14	1,0 1,2 1,1	952 842 997 281	25 48 20 92 60 91 55 16	1,0 1,1 1,1	932 963 317 945 164	65 69 66 06 02 06 56	8	33 25 27 24 31 32 31 23 22 28	4 5 4 6 9 7 5 9 5 9 5 9 5 9 5 9 5 9 5 9 5 9 5 9	93 76 50 42 13	\$ 274 245 211 198 283 262 263 213 211 232	43 68 98 29 85 64 78 56		
Totals Less Treas. Com's	\$ 1,	586 86 15 86	\$	6,479	88 \$	10,	238 102	18 38	9,	761 97		\$	2,83 2	8	39 30	\$2,398 23	57 98		
NET TOTALS	\$ 1.	.571 00	\$	6,479	88 \$	10,	135	80 %	9.	663	94	8	2,80	2	09	2,374	59		
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Commissions not charged against Conference Claimants' Fund.

J. FULLER LYON,

CHESTER, S. C., Dec. 1, 1900.

Treasurer.

(REPORT No. 2.)

The Joint Board of Finance in account with Bishop's Fund for 1900:

Dr.

To Charleston District\$	204	16	
To Cokesbury District	142	84	
To Columbia District	153	94	
To Florence District	138	84	
To Greenville District	167	17	

To Marion District	179	06
To Orangeburg District.	172	
To Rock Hill District.	144	
To Spartanburg District.	133	
To Sumter District	150	
Total\$1,	586	86
Treasurer's Commissions Off	15	86
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(REPORTS Nos. 3 AND 4.)		
Amounts Collected for Conference Collections for		
1900:		
Dr.		
To Charleston District\$	807	77
To Cokesbury District	575	86
To Columbia District	637	88
To Florence District	589	06
To Greenville District	66 0	97
To Marion District	762	77
To Orangeburg District	736	66
To Rock Hill District	571	14
To Spartanburg District	527	94
To Sumter District	609	83
To Publishing House (for Calvin Fund)	28	00
To Balance 1899	6	60
Total\$6	514	10
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Application and Distribution of Conference Col-		
lection and Calvin Fund for the Year 1900:		
To, Attaway, Rev. John\$	70	00
To Auld, Rev. F., and wife	140	
To Avant, Mrs. A. P		00
To Bissell, Mrs. J. C.	165	
To Banks, Rev. M. L.; and wife	115	
To Byars, Mrs. D. D.		00
To Boyd, Mrs. J. M., and child		00
To Boyd, Mrs. T. B		00
To Brown, Mrs. M., and children		00

To Clarke, Rev. W. A	5 00
To Capers, Mrs. S. W	25 00
To Capers, Mrs. W. T	70 00
To Chreitzberg, Rev. A. M., and family	235 00
To Carson, Mrs. William	48 00
To Carlisle, Rev. J. M	48 00
To Duffie, Rev. R. L	95 00
To Darby, Rev. O. A	48 00
To Dickson, Mrs. J. W	140 00
To Franks, Mrs. R. P.	55 00
·	70 00
To Fishburne, Mrs. C. C	75 00
To Finger, Mrs. John	48 00
To Flemming, Mrs. W. H	
To Gilbert, Mrs. A. A., and children	95 00
To Gage, Mrs. E. G	70 00
To Gamewell, Mrs. W. A	50 00
To Hill, Mrs. S. J., and children	95 00
To Hamer, Rev. L. M., and wife	95 00
To Hutto, Mrs. William	48 00
To Harper, Mrs. R. L	5 00
To Irvine, Mrs. A	50 00
To Jackson, Rev. A W., and wife	95 00
To Jones, Mrs. S. B	5 00
To Johnson, Mrs. L. A	70 00
To Kilgo, Mrs. J. T	55 00
To Kistler, Rev. P. F., and wife	158 00
To Kirkland, Mrs. W. D	85 00
To Koger, children of Rev. J. W	48 00
To Loyal, Rev. L. C	95 00
To Leard, Mrs. S	55 00
To Lawton, Mrs. W. H	55 00
To Lee, child of Rev. A. B.	20 00
To McRoy, Mrs. J. W	25 00
To Mood, Mrs. John A	95 00
To Mood, Rosa, daughter of Rev. W. W	25 00
To Mood, Mrs. H. M	5 00
To Murray, Mrs. J. W	56 00
To Martin, Mrs. A. L	10 00
To Munnerlyn, Mrs. T. W	70 00
To Newberry, Rev. I. J	85 00
To Neville, Rev. J. J., and wife	175 00
To Porter, Rev. J. A	95 00
To Platt, Mrs. J. B., and children	138 00
To Pegues, Mrs. W. L	48 00
To Raysor, Mrs. Thomas	116 00
To Rowell, Mrs. C. D	48 00
To Smith, Rev. J. F	10 00

To Smith, Mrs. A. L	48 00
To Shuford, Mrs. J. L., and children	105 00
To Thomason, Mrs. C.	5 00
To Townsend, Mrs. S.	48 00
To Wood, Mrs. L., and children	114 00
To Wood, Rev. J. A., and wife	70 00
To Watson, Mrs. J. E., and child	70 00
To Workman, Rev. J. J., and wife	140 00
To Wells, Mrs. G. H	60 00
To Wells, children of Rev. R. N	95 00
To Walker, Rev. A. W	140 00
To Zimmerman, Mrs. L. S	76 00
To Bellinger, Mrs. J. H	76 .00
To Phillips, Rev. T. P	85 00
To Sifly, Rev. J. L., and wife	116 00
To Wiggins, Rev. C. E., and wife	116 00
To Jones, Rev. W. W	116 00
To Dantzler, Rev. D. D	95 00
To Herbert, Rev. T. G	48 00
To Ballenger, Rev. N. G	116 00
To Kirton Rev. W. H	95 00
To Loyless, Mrs. E. B	138 00
To Melton, Rev. N. K	138 00
To Dantzler, Mrs. D. Z	75 00
To Stoll, Rev. J. C	95 00
To Stafford, Rev. A. J	95 00
To Williams, Rev. W. W	95 00
To Carlisle, Rev. J. E	95 00
To Expense Account, Stamps, Blanks, etc	3 30
Balance on Hand	9 18
Total\$	6.514 48

We respectfully recommend an assessment of \$11,000.00 for Conference claimants for the ensuing Conference Year.

L. F. BEATY,

J. FULLER LYON,

Secretary and Treasurer.

Chester, S. C., December 1st., 1900.

Chairman.

Assessments on the South Carolina Conference, 1901.

Basis of Distribution-Assessments for Preachers in Charge, 1900.

DISTRICT.		Bishops.		Conference Claimants.		Foreign	Missions.	_		Domestic Missions.		Chumok	Extension.		Education.	
Charleston. Cokesbury. Columbia. Florence Greenville. Marion. Orangeburg Rock Hill Spartanburg. Sumter		318 00 267 00 251 00 233 00 274 00 282 00 230 00 228 00 279 00 225 00		1,166 1,199 979 968 1,188	00 00 00	1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1,	648 552 440	00 00 00 00 00 00	1 1 1 1 1 1	,81, 70, 586, 868, 92, 56, 55, 90	3 (0) 3 (0) 1 00 9 00 1 00		615 515 485 450 530 545 445 440 540	00 00 00 06 00 00 00	\$ 4×5 396 392 481	00
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DISTRICT.		Minutes.		Doing and	Love Ins.			Delegates to	Conference.			TOTAL.			Districts Fer Cent.	
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Тотац	\$	700	00	\$	700	00	18	1.	225	00	\$	59,2	7 0		1.0	00

J. FULLER LYON, Sect'y Joint Board of Finance, Per E. O. WATSON.

RESOLUTIONS OF THANKS.



REV. J. E. GRIER,

CHESTER CONFERENCE HOST.

Resolved, That the thanks of the Body are due, and are hereby tendered:

I. To the Citizens of Chester for the elegant, open-hearted hospitality extended to us during our stay amongst them.

II. To the Post Office authorities for the excellent postal facilities furnished us.

III. To the different Churches for the use of their houses of worship.

IV. To the different Railroads for the reduced rates of travel.

V. To The State Company for supplying the Con-

ference, free of charge, a large number of copies of their daily edition.

VI. To the Banks for the special consideration shown us in handling our funds.

J. S. BEASLEY.

WM. S. MORRISON. L. F. BEATY. JAMES W. KILGO.

DELEGATES TO MISSIONARY CONFERENCE.

The Presiding Elders to whom was referred nominations of delegates to the Ecumenical Missionary Conference, to be held in the city of New Orleans, in April next, begleave to submit the following names:

Dr. H. W. Bays, W. C. Power, W. P. Meadors, H. B. Browne, A. J. Stokes, Marion Dargan, J. O. Willson, J. W. Daniel, W. I. Her-

bert, E. O. Watson, J. W. Humbert, W. W. Daniel, J. T. Pate, P. F. Kilgo, J. B Campbell. L. F. Beaty, J. E. Grier, W. A. Rogers, J. A. Campbell, J. G. Beckwith, J. S. Beasley, W. A. Massebeau, T. E. Morris, W. B. Duncan, J. A. Clifton, J. H. Thacker, Dr. H. Baer. J. Fuller Lyon, R. H. Jennings, G. G. Lynch, W. W. Wallace, E. H. Gasque, George H. Bates, George W. Gage, W. M. Jones, R. O. Purdy, J. B. Humbert, C. G. Dantzler, J. L. Quinby, C. F. Jones, H. H. Newton, C. H. Carlisle; W. R. Richardson, ex-officio delegate. Alternates—G. P. Watson, R. H. Jones, C. D. Mann, J. E. Rushton, R. E. Stackhouse, J. E. Beard, G. Edwin Stokes, R. W. Barber, R. L. Holroyd, P. B. Wells, J. J. Wescott, George C. Hodges, J. E. Wannamaker, G. Hoffmeyer, George E. Prince, W. J. Montgomery, W. E. Willis, W. W. Lewis, W. L. Gray, Joseph Sprott.

Respectfully submitted.

R. A. CHILD, For the Committee.

VI.

IN MEMORIAM.

MEMOIRS OF PREACHERS WHO DIED DIIRING THE YEAR 1900.

REV. A. M. ATTAWAY.

ADNEY McSwain Attaway, eldest son of the Rev. John Attaway, was born in Edgefield District, S. C., on the 1st of October, 1860, and died very suddenly in Pickens County, in January, 1900. Reared by a mother whose whole life gleamed with intelligent and devoted piety, and whose vigorous mind and stalwart character served her well in the necessary absence of her faithful itinerant husband, it is not surprising that he was a child of unexceptionable moral conduct, and that quite early in life he was soundly converted, and joined the Church of his parents. At the very beginning of his Christian course, he felt the call to the Gospel Ministry; but his youth and his innate modesty induced him to put off this duty for several years. In the meantime his education was going on, and he entered Wofford College, where he passed creditably through the Junior Class. He was admitted into the Conference in December, 1885, and filled acceptably the several appointments to which he was assigned. To his logical mind, and his constant study of the Divine Word, were added an attractive voice and a very graceful delivery, that rendered his preaching unusually acceptable and efficient. Especially were his public prayers appropriate and impressive.

But his mother was a chronic invalid; and McSwain inherited some of her physical feebleness. More than once his ardent zeal oroke him completely down, and forced him to retire from what became his loved employ; and the heart failure, which snatched him away, when he ought to have been in the prime of his manhood, was only the culmination of his lifetime weakness. His delicate widow and their eight small children linger behind to mourn their loss, consoled in their great sorrow by the satisfaction that he is at rest in his heavenly home.

S. LANDER.

REV. S. P. H. ELWELL, D. D.

REV. SILAS PINCKNEY HOLBROOK ELWELL, D. D., son of John L. and Rachel Elwell, was born near what is now known as Foreston, S. C., January 5th, 1842.

He was married to Miss Julia C. Rhame, of Clarendon, S. C., December 27th, 1860. He died suddenly in Columbia, S. C., February 17th, 1900.

He was educated in the schools of his neighborhood, and in the town of Sumter, S. C. He was an ardent student, and made the best use of his limited opportunities. Though his school term was short, he pursued his studies to the end of his life. He became acquainted in some 'degree with what is generally known by men of greater scholastic pretensions.

When the tocsin of war between the States was sounded, he was among the first to respond to the call of his State. He served in the 23rd Regiment of the South Carolina Volunteers. He was on duty in his native State until 1863, when he went with his regiment to the West, to reinforce General Joseph E. Johnson, for the relief of General Pemberton, besieged in Vicksburg, Mississippi. In this campaign be was severely wounded, and lost his left arm at the shoulder. So desperate was his wound, that his life was despaired of by others. It was not thought worth while to make an effort to save his life. But he never for a moment lost heart. His heroic spirit, as he lay in his blood, encouraged others to come to his aid in his struggle for life. He was dauntless in battle, and unconquerable as he lay among the dead and dying. A truer, nobler soldier never bore arms in his country's cause. He was left in the hands of the enemy, and the narrative of his escape from them furnishes a story of heroic courage and tact unsurpassed in the history of the war. Though he was so badly wounded, and so severely mutilated, he was not discharged from the army until after the close of the war.

On his return home he became an enthusiastic Confederate Veteran. He was a member of Camp Hampton, of the United Confederate Veterans, Chaplain of the South Carolina Division of the United Confederate Veterans, on the staff of General C. I. Walker. It was he who inaugurated the movement to erect a monument to the women of the Confederacy. He used his influence effectively for the introduction of Southern Histories in Southern Schools.

He was very fraternal in spirit, and hence he affiliated with quite a number of brotherhoods. He was Grand Chaplain of the Masonic Grand Lodge of South Carolina, a member of the Columbia Commandery, K. T., a member of Myrtle Lodge, No. 3, K. P., Columbia, S. C., and at one time a member of Star Fort Lodge, K. H., Ninety-Six, S. C. They all enjoyed his good cheer and efficient service, and they honored him in the fellowship.

As a Christian, and as a Christian Minister, he was most conspicuous. He was converted to God about the age of twelve years, while attending the school in Sumter, S. C. In his early youth he was impressed that he was called of God to preach the Though he was "disobedient to the heavenly vision," he never swerved from his integrity during the war, nor did he succeed in ridding himself of the conviction for his life work. He desired to study law, but the earnest protest of his mother barred his way thither. From what we know of him, we make no doubt that he might have succeeded at the bar.

Under the advice of his teacher, he gave himself up fully to his high calling of God in Christ Jesus. In 1867 he was licensed to preach. In May, of that year, his paster, the Rev. William Hemmingway, preacher in charge of the Manning Circuit, died. At the request of members of the Circuit, he was appointed to fill out the unexpired term of the deceased pastor. From this Circuit he went up to the South Carolina Conference, which met in Morganton, N. C, in December of that year, as an applicant for admission on trial. He was admitted. Thenceforward his course was onward and upward, until the Master said, "It is enough, come up higher."

He served the following charges: Waccamaw Circuit, 1868-'70; Lynche's Creek Circuit, 1871-'72; Columbia Circuit, 1873; Cokesbury Circuit, 1874-'75; South Abbeville, 1376-'79; Pickens Circuit, 1880-'83; Ninety-Six Circuit, 1884-'85; Bishopville Circuit, 1886-'87; Batesburg Circuit, 1888-'90; Marion Street Station, Columbia, S. C., 1891-'94; Bamberg Station, 1895-'96; Kingstree Station, 1897; Spring Street, Charleston, S. C., 1898-'00.

He received his appointment of 1900, but he fell with his armor on at the opening of the year.

He was ordained Deacon at Cheraw, S. C., in 1869, by Bishop H. H. Kavanaugh; Elder, at Spartanburg, S. C., 1871, by Bishop Robert Paine.

Dr. Elwell was an able advocate of the truth in the pulpit, and on the platform. While he was always impressive and instructive, at times he spoke with great emphasis and power. He especially rose high in thought and expression, when missions or temperance was his theme.

He was more than a preacher and platform speaker. a practical man of affairs. He was a builder of churches and parsonages, among which are parsonages of Ridgeway, Columbia Circuit; at Greenwood, Cokesbury Circuit; South Abbeville; at Easley, Pickens Circuit; and at Ninety-Six. Churches—Bethlehem, Lynche's Creek Circuit; repaired Ridgeway Church, Columbia Circuit; Rehoboth, a new Society, Batesburg Circuit; rebuilt Marion Street Station Church, Columbia, S. C.

He was a patron of education, organizing the schools in communities, he served for more effective work. The schools and their buildings at Pickens, Bishopville and Batesburg owe much to him. He organized the movement, and furthered the building of the Girls' Boarding Hall at Bamberg, S. C., for the Carlisle Fitting School. When there was special need of a supply teacher, he was ready to serve in the class room.

Rutherford College conferred on him the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity, in 1892.

Looking at the facts as they appear, we accord to him the judgment that he was no ordinary man. He met the varied demands upon him with cheerfulness and success.

His end was sudden, but it was not unexpected to him. For months the shadows of death were just before him, but they did not gloom his countenance, nor depress his spirit. His words of blissful hope, which he addressed to his congregation in his last regular service, linger with them still as a benediction of faith and hope.

"Praise be thy new employ And while eternal ages run Rest in thy Saviour's joy."

A. J. STOKES.

REV. M. H. POOSER.

The Rev. Matthias Hutchinson Pooser, son of Emanuel and brances Pooser, was born in the town of Orangeburg, S. C., on November 9th, 1823. Reared in a refined and pious home, he early imbibed the principles of courtesy and Christianity. He joined the Methodist Church at old Sadler Swamp camp meeting, at the sge of seven years, and lived worthy of his profession all his days. His education, well begun in an intelligent home, was carried forward in the schools of his native town, and continued by judicious reading to the end. He was thrice married:

On December 25th, 1847, to Mrs. Jane Webber, whose maiden name was Lord; on March 31st, 1886, to Miss Lizzie Marshall, of Charleston, S. C.; and on September 25th, 1895, to Miss Louise Williams, of Greenville County, S. C. All were help meets indeed. Three children were born of his first marriage, all of whom survive—one of them a great but patient sufferer.

He was called of God to preach the Gospel, and was licensed in 1870. In December, 1873, he was admitted on trial into the South Carolina Conference, and year by year he went willingly where he was appointed, serving his charges with unwearying fidelity. Everywhere he won respect and esteem, and God gave him seals to his ministry. His last field was Lancaster Circuit and City Mission. He entered upon his work there with zeal. but was soon stricken by sickness. Apparently he recovered, and filled his appointments on April 8th. The Wednesday night following he retired, seemingly in fair health. About 1 A. M., Thursday, he was awakened by a difficulty of breathing. Only the family was present. Loving hands ministered as they could, but in vain. After an hour or two of suffering, he murmured, "Oh, glory," and was gone-gone to the land of life eternal. On Good Friday his remains were laid to rest in the cemetery of the Presbyterian Church at Orangeburg. The summons came suddenly, but he was ready.

Brother Pooser was a brave, manly man, a thoughtful and kind neighbor, a friend true as steel, a Christian of positive, settled experience and consistent life, a faithful pastor, an earnest and impressive preacher. He was emphatically a gentleman—"a gentleman of the old school"—the better school. Graceful deportment, and chaste, elegant speech, were part of his very nature. No rude, ungenerous acts marred his life. was the mould and fashion of the gentleman and courteous Christian. And these traits marked his path from childhood to There were no lapses nor wanderings. All was consistent and steadfast. Converted in earliest years, he clave to Christ, and walked in His courtesy and integrity until called above. Like Obediah, he could say: "I have served the Lord from my youth." Like Paul, he could claim: "I have kept the faith."

Therefore, we are confident that he now wears that crown which the righteous Judge gives to them that love His appearing. All his long life devoted to God! How we should covet the shining story—and its everlasting reward!

JOHN O. WILLSON.

REV. EDWARD B. LOYLESS.

EDWARD B. LOYLESS has answered the roll call of this Conference for the last time. It was on the 22nd of last April, that the writer received at his home in Yorkville, the following telegram from Mr. James Loyless, of Spartanburg: "Father died last night 10.15." Then it was, that a noble, sweet soul, disenthralled from the bondage of its hindering clay, went home to God.

Brother Loyless was ready to go: ready by all the tokens of Christian consecration to the service of God and the Church; and ready, too, by the fires that consume the dross and refine the gold—the fires of a protracted painful illness for the last several months of his life. He was at the time of his decease a superannuated member of the South Carolina Conference, which body he joined December, 1885, and in which body he labored actively, and with fruitful results, till the failure of his health last year, serving seven years on Circuit, and seven on Missions. He served as a local supply several years, rendering most efficient and acceptable service before his membership in this Conference.

He was a faithful man of God and servant of the Church. He was not only the pastor of his people, but their personal friend; ready to sympathize with them, and on occasion and opportunity to serve and help them. The writer knew him well—quite well. We were close friends. In all my acquaintance with this Conference, covering a period of thirty-eight years, I have never known among us a more thorough Christian gentleman than Edward B. Loyless. Shakespeare makes King Lear to claim of himself that he was every inch a king. Loyless was every inch a man.

His educational advantages were slight, and his preaching unpretentious and plain; and yet his was a useful and edifying ministry.

He was born in Beaufort District, September 10th, 1842, and was married November 5th, 1874, to Miss Sarah E. Sanders, of Colleton County. Seven of his eight children survive. and these, with their widowed mother, claim our tender sympathy.

At fifty-eight years of age, in the ripe maturity of his influence and his powers, he is called away from us. A few months ago strong and well, and now, after a rapid decline, at home with God.

Said Edmund Burke, in the English Parliament, and in memoriam of a lately deceased member of that august body: "What shadows we are, and what shadows we pursue!"

May we not get the most out of the life that now is, by putting the most into it, and so following Christ after the example of our sainted and ascended brethren, be found in Christ here, and with Christ forever.

S. A. WEBER.

REV. ERVIN G. PRICE.

On September 13th, 1852, REV. ERVIN G. PRICE was born in Colleton County, S. C. Death claimed his father and mother when he was of very tender years. Fortunately for him the care and training of his early years fell to the lot of his grandmother. Like the parent of old who watched over the intellectual and spiritual development of Timothy, she brought "him up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord."

His opportunities for an education were not large. To some men they would have meant the paralysis of all earthly hope. The only thing he demanded was standing ground. This was given, and he moved earnestly forward.

Early in life he felt and heard the call of God to preach His Gospel. This call was as emphatic as that which came to Jonah; but, unlike Jonah, there was no desire "to flee to Tarshish." December, 1876, dates his entrance into the South Carolina Conference. This Conference was held in the town of Chester. Henceforth his life was consecrated to the uplifting of humanity and the glory of God.

In all his work he was utterly devoid of pretense and policy. He never wore two faces. Cardinal Granville, whose life was composed of suavity and deception, would have found in him his deadliest foe. What he conceived to be right received his warmest commendation, and what he believed was wrong was condemned with all the power that he possessed. He occupied no middle ground in his opinion of any man, or any fact.

He was extra diligent in his intellectual work. He bought and mastered the best books. He knew how "to winnow the wheat and get rid of the chaff." His sermons were crowded with clear, plain, deep, and very original ideas. Our Conference contained few better preachers than our departed brother. If all things are considered, his life as a preacher was a marvellous success. Through his preaching sinners were converted, backsliders reclaimed, and believers were firmly established on the Rock of Ages.

He was a church and parsonage builder, and the annihilator of church debts. A number of lovely church buildings mark

his progress through the years. He was conscious of the fact that it was a very easy thing to build a parsonage or church on credit, and leave the debt for your successor to pay. He was willing to struggle and labor that all buildings that he caused to be erected should be free of all encumbrance. In the Providence of God he was sent to several fields where the people were trembling before fearful debts. He believed that this was one of the deadliest foes that ever crossed the pathway of the progress of the Church. It required nerve and courage to attack the foe, but he didn't falter or hesitate for a single moment. His efforts were always crowned with victory.

His home was his "Beulah Land" On September 13th, 1887, he married, at Reidville, N. C., Miss Carrie Thomas. His was one of those marriages made in heaven. He was all devotion, and his wife lavished upon him her truest love. Isaac and Rebecca had in them a real parallel. To the four sweet girls sent into his home he was the kindest of fathers.

His struggle to live when attacked by his fatal illness was truly wonderful. Cronje. with his 4,000 men, environed by 40,000 of the enemy, who were playing upon them with lyddite shells, didn't surpass him in heroism. The last thing he proposed to do was to surrender. The fight he made must have won the admination of the very angels of God.

As I looked a few years ago on the sword of the greatest General Poland ever produced, I said: "The sword of a great man, but one that quailed before death."

Our brother quailed not before death. As he sank out of human sight, his face was stern with courage. When, on April 28th, 1900, he passed away, in the old historic town of Cheraw, South Carolina, Methodism lost one of the bravest men that ever led her troops to victory. Around his sleeping dust glory will forever stand guard.

J. THOMAS PATE.

REV. SIDI H. BROWNE.

REV. SIDI HAMET BROWNE was born in Anderson County, S. C., September 23rd, 1819, and died at his home, in the city of Columbia, September 13th, 1900. He was admitted on trial into the South Carolina Conference, at Fayetteville, N. C., December, 1845. He was an effective itinerant preacher for forty-two years. He served fourteen years on Circuits, ten years on Stations, sixteen years on Districts, and two years as agent of the Columbia Female College. He was elected a delegate to

three General Conferences. In 1887, at the Conference at Spartanburg, he was granted a superannuated relation. From the day that he joined the Conference, to the close of his life—more than half a century—he never failed to answer the roll call at the Annual Conference.

Brother Browne was a preacher of unusual ability. Though his educational advantages were limited, yet, endowed with a sound mind in a sound body, he attained a development of his mental faculties and accumulated a stock of knowledge which made him a tower of strength in the pulpit. Few men surpassed him in originality of thought, in analytic power, in logical force, and in simplicity and aptness of illustration. His chief mental characteristic was independence of thought. His preaching was always instructive, ministering to the edification of the hearer. He never dealt in commonplace platitudes, but, like a wise scribe, he brought forth out of his treasure things, new and old, and he never failed to put the old in a new setting. He made no attempt at oratory. In simple style and plain language he told the story of redeeming love.

He was a spiritual preacher. His sermons were saturated with Gospel truth. Having the word of Christ dwelling in him richly in all wisdom, he was a "workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth." His preaching was spiritual, because he was himself a man of deep spirituality. His experience of conversion was clear and distinct, and he never doubted its reality. The day, the hour, and all the circumstances connected with his conversion, were fresh in his memory to the day of his death. He lived close to the cross, where he rejoiced in the consciousness of communion with God, of fellowship with Christ, and of the perpetual in-dwelling of

the Holy Ghost.

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The theme upon which he delighted to talk, and preach, and write, was love. The Christian Neighbor, established April 2nd, 1868, was born out of a heart in which love to God and man was the controlling principle. He not only advocated peace and good will toward man, but his life was, in itself, a Gospel of love.

It was my privilege to see him often during the closing days of his life. In the last conversation that I had with him, he said: "I am ready to go, and I am only waiting to be called home." I can say with St. Paul: "To me to live is Christ, and to die is gain."

"Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His saints."
W. R. RICHARDSON.

REV. JOHN OWEN.

JOHN OWEN was born at Wisbeach, England, November 2nd, 1851. of sterling Wesleyan Methodist stock, his father being a member of the Wesleyan Conference. He was educated in the common schools of England, and at the age of eighteen, with his father, came to this country. May, 1869, he landed in New York. Thence he came to Chesterfield County, in this State, where he remained for one year. After this, his father having bought a plantation in Sumter County, and returned to England, John Owen took charge of the plantation, and farmed there until the time of his entrance into the South Carolina Conference.

He was first married to Miss Josephine Watson, of Hartle-pool, England, who died one year afterward. December 23rd, 1875, he was married to Miss Nannie J. Warren, of York County, S. C. Seven children blessed this union, and these, with the devoted wife, are left to mourn the loss, but with the precious heritage of blessed memory, of a noble father and tender husband.

At the age of fourteen years, while yet living in England, he had joined the Church, but coming to this country, and settling on a remote river plantation, he fell away from church associations. September, 1875, he was converted, and began afresh with that conversion, and joined the Methodist Church at Harrison, Mecklenburg County, N. C.

A man of John Owen's temperament and talents was simply buried in the locality and work in which he was engaged at this time. He needed a sympathetic friend to bring him forward. This he found in Rev. A. J. Stokes, Presiding Elder of the Sumter District. Brother Stokes becoming acquainted with him, saw at once the man in John Owen, and thrust him forward into work, and thus brought out a man of genius that would otherwise have remained in obscurity, unconscious of his own powers, and unknown to all.

Brother Owen was licensed to preach in 1883. He served as supply on the Richland Circuit, in 1885, in December of which year he was received on trial into the South Carolina Conference.

His first appointment was West Lancaster Circuit, where he served three years. His further appointments were: Pee Dee, one year: Mullins. four years; Clio, one year; Orangeburg District, as Presiding Elder, four years, and Johnston. It was while on Johnston, toward the close of his second year there, that on the afternoon of October 30th, 1900, while bird hunting, for the purpose of supplying a delicacy for a sick member and

friend of his pastorate, he was accidentally shot by the young friend who was accompanying him. He recognized at once the fatal character of his wound, but showed no fear, not even nervousness, and throughout all the forty-nine hours of intense suffering in which he lingered, was calm, conscious, and with heroic fortitude bore his suffering without a groan. He spoke kindly and gently to and of the young man, who was heart-broken because of the accident at his hands. With expression of calm faith in God, during the evening of November 1st, from brave endurance of suffering he passed into sweet enjoyment of the rest that remaineth for the people of God.

Fifteen years ago John Owen, with the writer, joined the South Carolina Conference in Columbia. Meeting for the first time in the examination room, our souls were knit as the souls of Jonathan and David, and a friendship formed which has been an inspiration, and will ever be a gracious memory.

John Owen was among the noblest souls I ever knew. Truer, nobler heart never beat in breast of man. Quiet, retiring, meditaive, the currents of his life ran deep, and with tremendous force. His gifts were of a rare and high order. The small change of commonplace talk he had little of. He reserved his fire for questions and occasions that demanded power, and was revealed on such occasions as the capable man he was. His power of language and expression, when under the sway of impassioned thought, was often a source of amazement even to those who knew best his great power. I have heard words as beautiful and eloquent fall from his lips as ever from the lips of man.

Sensitive and reticent as he was, it took time for his brethren to know and appreciate him. Those who were with him in special meetings, and especially those who were privileged to work with him, during his term as Presiding Elder of the Orangeburg District, came to see him as he was, and to appreciate his heart of pure gold. In the end, few, if any, men among us are more generally and genuinely loved than John Owen. Precious is, and will ever be his memory.

True, loyal-hearted friend—the man I loved with more than a brother's love—with whom my life was closest bound—to write of him as dead—as gone out of my life—how can I? No, no, no, he is not dead. He has not gone out of my life. He can never die. He can never go out of our lives. Death has no power over such a life as his. Death has no power to sever the bonds of true friendship. Though the shadow feared of man break fair companionship, and hurry one on where we cannot "see nor follow, though we walk in haste," yet soul in soul we

are, and shall be bound forever, and, byc and bye, we shall meet, and with God commune of all life's story and heaven's glory.

Folded are the once busy hands, stilled the loyal heart, and silent the silver tongue to earth; but busy now those hands in heavenly employ, filled that heart with all holy love and divine rapture, melodious that voice with praises to God. We know where to find him, and, though with tear-dimmed eyes, we follow on.

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WIVES AND WIDOWS.

From the very inception of the movement, Christianity has been greatly indebted to women. To the call of Christ they made instantaneous response. While Peter denied his Master, and Judas proved false, and the rest of the disciples "forsake Him" in a crucial hour, the women alone were true.

To the cause of the Son of God they gave their hearts. This step they never regretted. Down through the centuries "they have witnessed a good confession." When death or recantation was the stern demand, they did not shrink from dying.

In every advanced movement of the Church, they have taken their place in the front line. They have never been willing to call a retreat. If the note was sounded, they drowned it with the thrilling cry, "Forward march." The women of Methodism have not been inferior to their sisters who have "entered upon eternal joy." It is especially true that the wives of our preachers have bravely met every test, and have never quailed before any requirement. Without the help of the noble women in the parsonage, the work of many a preacher would have been a failure.

This year six of these consecrated women have vanished from human sight:

Mrs. Francis Y. Newberry, wife of Rev. I. J. Newberry, died April 9th, 1900. Aged 62 years.

Mrs. Mary Gillespie Shipp, widow of Rev. A. M. Shipp, D. D., died June 9th, 1900. Aged 74 years.

Mrs. Ann E. Walker, widow of Rev. Charles S. Walker, died July 1st, 1900. Aged 80 years.

Mrs. Lillie Hodge Boulware, wife of Rev. R. C. Boulware, died July 19th, 1900. Aged 32 years.

Mrs. Annie Kennedy Clarkson, wife of Rev. G. F. Clarkson, died August 3rd, 1900. Aged 30 years.

Mrs. Ann Frances Loyal, wife of Rev. L. C. Loyal, died November 19th, 1900. Aged 71 years.

From joyful experience, these devoted ones now know that "there remaineth a rest for the people of God."

"We turn our faces from the light and cry, 'The darkness comes,'

But there is no night.

Our loved ones go beyond our longing sight;

We wrap the clouds about our heads and say, 'Tis night.'

But in God's sunlight they and we forever stand-

Tis only vapor hides them from our eyes."

J. THOMAS PATE.

The Dead of the South Carolina Conference, 1788 to 1899.

NAMES.	PLACE OF BIRTH.	Entered the Itinerancy	TIME OF DEATH	AGE.	PLACE OF BURIAL.
Woolman Hickson	Virginia Buckingham Co. Va	1782	178	8	New York, N. Y.
John Major	TT * *	1783	178	8	Lincoln Co., Ga
Henry Bigham	Ruckingham Co. Va	1787	178	8	Cattle Creek, C. G.
Wyatt Andrews	· ····································	1589	179	ő	Cherokee.
John Tunnell	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	1777	179	0	Sweet Spr., East Tenn.
Beni, Carter	. In the West	1787	179	2	Washington, Ga.
Hardy Herbert	In the West	1788	Nov. 20, 179	4 25	Norfolk, Va.
Richard lvy	North Carolina	1781	Fob 179	0	Rultimore Md
James King	Gloucester, Va	. 1794	Sept. 18, 179	7 25	Bethel, Charleston.
John N. Jones	. Virginia	. 1790	July 16, 179	98	Bethel, Charleston.
James Tolleson	South Carolina	$\frac{1791}{1795}$	Aug. 180	10	Portsmouth, Va.
Benj. Jones	Georgetown Co	. 1801	180)4 30	Bladen Co., N. C.
Tobias Gibson	Marion Co	. 1792	Aprll 5, 180	30	Natchez, Miss.
Geo. Dougherty	Newberry	. 1798	Mch. 23, 186	07	Wilmington, N. C.
Bennet Kendrick	. Virginia	1799	April 5, 18	07	Marlboro Co.
Thos. Dickinson	North Carolina	1811	18 Inno 8 18	11 3	Cypress Ct,
Jacob Rumph	" Orangeburg Co	1808	Sept. 11, 18	12[3]	Bethel. Charleston.
Lewis Hobbes	Burke Co., Ga	1808	18	14 3	Georgia.
Wm Partridge	Northnampton, N. C. Orangeburg Co. Burke Co., Ga. Virginia Sussex Co., Va Lincolnton, N. C. North Carolina.	1780	Nov. 24, 18	17 6	S sparta. Ga.
Anthony Center	Lincolnton, N. C	1809	Dec. 23, 18	17 3	2 Georgetown,
Henry Fitzgerald	North Carolina	181	8 Sept. 19, 18	19 2	2 Bethel, Charleston.
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Benjamin Crane	Moore Co., N. C	182	318	24	
D miet Asbury	Fairfax Co., Va	. 78	618	20 6	3 Catawba Co., N. C.
James Norton	••• •••••••••••••••••••••••••	180	6 Aug. 26, 18	325 3	S Columbia.
Benj. Rhodes	Greenville	181	818	326 3	6 North Carolina. Catawba Co., N. C. Columbia. Georgetown. Georgetown. Miledgeville, Ga. Trinity Ch., Charleston. Camden. Cypress Ct. Montgomery Co., N. C. Lincolnton, N. C. Newberry. Georgia. Columbia. Rembert's, Sumter Ct. Horry Co. Richmond Co., N. C. Febenezer, Newberry. Montgomery, N. C. Kebenezer, Newberry. Montgomery, N. C. Richmond Co., N. C. Kebenezer, Newberry. Montgomery, N. C. Richmond Co., N. C. Kebenezer, Newberry. Montgomery, N. C. Rehoboth Church Berkley Ct. Lowndesville.
John L. Greaves	South Carolina	181	818	326	Georgetown.
John Gamewell		180	0 Oct. 7, 18	328	Near Conwayboro.
Asbury Morgan	Mecklenburg, Co., N. C	181	18 Sept. 25, 18	828 a	Bether, Charleston.
George Hill	Charleston	181	918	829	32 Milledgeville, Ga.
John Honour	Charleston	18:	21 Sept. 19, 13	830 (830 (70 Trinity Ch., Charleston.
Trist Stackhouse	South Carolina	18	30	831	Cypress Ct.
Absalom Brown	Fairfield Co	18	281	833	Montgomery Co., N. C.
James J. Richardso	n. Marion Co	183	29 July 9, 1 20 July 21 1	833	28 Lincolnton, N. C. 27 Newberry.
Isaac Smith	Virginia		July 20, 1	834	76 Georgia.
Josiah Freeman	Oglethorpe Co. Ga	18	²² Nov. 27, 1	834	37 Columbia.
Geo. W. Huggins	Marion Co.	18	33 Oct. 1	835	27 Horry Co.
Samuel Boseman .	North Carolina	18	33 1	835	29 Richmond Co., N. C.
Thomas C. Smith	Richmond Co. N. C.	18	28 Nov. 27. 1	837	30 Montgomery, N. C.
Benj. Bell	Montgomery Co., N. C.	18	26 Jan. 27,	1838	37 Antioch, Chesterfield Ct.
John Bunch	Charleston	18	Sept. 7, 1	1838	ley Ct.
Thomas D. Turpin	Maryland North Carolina	18	329 July 26, 1	1838	33 Lowndesville.
Wm. M. Kennedy.	North Carolina	18	305 Feb. 22,	1840	57 Columbia.
Christian G. Hill.	Charleston York Co	18	336 April	1841	50 Charleston.
Bartlett Thomasor	Laurens Co	17	1000	1041	on Orangeourg Co.
John N. Davies	Mecklenburg Co., N. C	J 18	334 June	1844 1844	40 Columbia.
Abel Hoyle	Lincoln Co., N. C	18	337 Sept. 8.	1844	33 Union Co., N. C.
Newton Gouldeloc	Lincoln Co., N. C k Union Co	18	342	$\frac{1845}{1846}$	30 Union Co.
Tamas Innline	Harrion Co	1.	709: Luna 91	1837	83 Camden
John Tarrant	Virginia	1	809 April I, 791 Feb. 14	1849 1851	84 Edgefield.
Reddick Bunch	Virginia Virginia Virginia South Carolina Georgetown, S. C	1	850 Feb. 14,	1851	Hardecville.
Daniel G. McDani	el Georgetown, S. C	1	811	1853	62 Camden.
Campbell Smith	Marlboro Co	1	834 Dec. 27,	1854	73 Tab'nacle, Abbeville Co. 46 Rutherford Co., N. C.
					

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NAMES.	PLACE OF BIRTH.	red	TIME OF	2	PLACE OF BURIAL.
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William Capers	St. Thomas Parish		Jan. 29, 1855	65	Columbia.
James Dannelly	Columbia Co., Ga	1818	April 28, 1855	65	Lowndesville.
Samuel W. Capers	Georgetown	1828	June 22, 1855	58	Camden.
John W. J. Harris	Union Co	$1848 \\ 1851$	Sept. 10, 1855	39	Columbia.
Edward D. Boyden	Charleston	1854	1856	-9	Charleston.
Charles S. Walker	Uharleston	$\frac{1854}{1837}$	Jan. 18, 1857 Feb. 26, 1858	16	Spartanburg. Waccamaw Neck
Frederick Rush	Orangeburg Co	1829	Aug. 8, 1858	56	Hebron, Lexington Co
Wni. E. Boone	Colleton Co	181I	May 19, 1859	71	Waccamaw Neck.
J. T. DuBose	Darlington Co	1853	July 25, 1859	37 54	Darlington Co.
Hugh E. Ogburn	South Carolina	1838	Jan. 19, 1860	43	Williamsburg Co.
Henry Bass	Berlin, Conn	1811	May 13, 1860	73 77	Tabernacle, Abbeville
Charles F. Campbell.	Marion Co	1859	186	25	Marion Co.
A. H. Harmon	Cleveland, N. C	1348	Aug. 20, 1861	39	waccamaw Neck. Darlington Co. Marlbero Co. Williamsburg Co. Tabernacle, Abbeville Rocky Swamp. Marion Co. Mt. Carmel. Lancaster. Anson Co., N. C. Spartanburg. Laurens Co. North Carolina. Colleton Co. Glendale. Greenville Co. Bethel Charleston. Marlboro Co. Spartanburg. Charleston. Catawba Co. N. C. Columbia. Orangeburg. Laurens Co. Wadesboro N. C.
Henry H. Durant	Horry Co	1834	Dec. 3, 1861	47	Spartanburg.
Addison P Martin	Laurens Co	1847	Aug. 13, 1862	10	Laurens Co.
P. A. M. Williams	Colleton Co	1837	Jan. 186	17	Colleton Co.
Lindsey C. Weaver.	Spartanburg CoIsle Skye, Scotland	1832	June 9. 183	3 04	Glendale. Greenville Co.
Geo. W. Moore	Charleston	182	Aug. 16, 186	3 62	Bethel Charleston.
Wm. C. Kirkland	Barnwell Co	1837	Mch. 29, 186	5	Spartanburg.
Wm. M. Wilson	Abbeville Co	1860	ept. 11, 186	1 20	Charleston.
Samuel Townsend	Marlboro Co	1830	July 31, 186	5	Columbia.
Daniel N. Ogburn	Chesterfield	1855	186) 52 : 51	Orangeburg.
Hilliard C. Parsons	Sumter Co	184	Jan. 20, 1866	11	Wadesboro, N. C.
Cornelius McLeod	Montgomery, N. C	183	April 9, 1860) Da	Richland Co.
J. Wesley Miller	Charleston	185	Jan. 20, 186	5 31	Darlington C. H.
W. A. Hemmingway	Black Mingo	183	May 19, 186 Oct. 20, 186	1 35	Bennettsville.
Wm. Crook	. Chester Co	182	Nov. 25, 186	6	York Co.
Bond English	Kershaw Co	182	ch. 4, 186	8 7	Sumter C. H.
Hartwell Spain	Wake Co., N. C	183	Mch. 9, 186	5 6	Summerton.
Alexius M. Forster.	Brunswick, N. C.	183	Oct. 28, 186	2 3	Cokesbury.
W. A. Gamewell	Darlington Co	. 183 . 183	1 Sept. 3, 186	9 h	Marion C. H. Spartanburg.
M. G. Tuttle	. Caldwell Co., N. C	186	7186	9 2	McDowell, N. C.
John R. Pickett	Fairfield Co	183	5 Mch. 15, 187	5	Winnsboro.
Edward G. Gage	Union Co	185	Mch. 27. 187	(3	Columbia.
Charles Betts	North Carolina	181	8 Sept. 30, 1.7	2 7	Marion C. H.
A. L. Smith	Marlboro Co Chesterfield	. 184	7 Aug. 25, 187	2 1	Spartanburg.
N. Talley	Richmond, Va	. 181	l May 10, 1 7	3	c'olumbia.
J. Lee Oickson	. Kershaw Co	187	1 April 14, 187 2 Dec. 19. 187	3 1	Urangeburg.
C. H. Pritchard, Jr.	Fayetteville, N. C	. 187	3 Jan. 20, 187	13	Greenville.
Malcolm V. Wood	Colleton Greenville Charleston	187	2 \ug 27, 187	1 2	Conway boro.
J. Claudius Miller	Charleston	. 187	0 April 3. 187	. b	harleston.
Fd. L. King	Fairfield Co	183	9 Nov. 19, 187	5	6 Co.umbia.
Wm. H. Fleming	Fairfield Co	184	9 April 16, 187		6 Charleston 3 Edgefield Co.
R. R. Pegues	Marlboro Co	. 110-	10 Oct. 11. 100	11	AMATIOOFO.
				١٤ ١	9 Charleston. 9 Cypress Camp Ground
F. M. Kennedy	Manlham Ca	185	4 Feb. 5, 18	0	6 Macon, Ga.
John R. Coburn	Mariboro Co	18	9 Sept. 29, 188	30	Florence.
Benjamin Boozer	n. Marion Co., S. C Newberry Co. S. C.	186	5 Oct. 6, 188	32	Graham's Cross Roads.
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David Derrick	Lexington Co., S. C Lincoln Co., N. C Montgomery Co., N. C Catawba Co., N. C	1827	Jan. 12, 1883	183	Columbia, S. C.
John Finger	Lincoln Co., N. C.,	1848	Jan. 13. 1884	71	Williamston, S. C.
L. Scarborough	Montgomery Co., N. C	1837	May, 22, 1884	75	Marion Co., S. C.
Samuel J. Hill	Catawba Co. N. C.	1855	June 14, 1884	49	Sumter Co., S. C.
John B. Massebeau	Camden, S. C	1858	Aug. 25, 188	148	Sardis, S. C.
Thos. B. Boyd	Charlotte, N. C.	1889	April 4. 1884	43	Orangeburg Co., S. C.
Robert L. Harper	Exeter, Englang	1866	Aug. 17, 1884	139	Iuka, Miss.
Wm. P. Mouzon.	Charleston, S. C	1838	Jan. 28, 188	66	Bamberg, S. C.
John W. Kelly	Union Co., S. C	1841	Feb. 1883	i00	Orangeburg, Co., S. C.
Allison B. Lee	Chester Co., S. C	1876	April 15, 188	36	Orangeburg Co, S. C.
John Watts	Chesterfield Co., S. C	1825	June 6, 1886	i 85	Greenville Co., S. C.
Hugh A. C. Walker	Antrim Co., Ireland Lenoir Co., N. C Green Co., Tenn	1831	May 22, 1880	3 77	Marion Co., S. C.
Abner Irvine	Lenoir Co., N. C	1847	Aug. 26, 1886	i 58	Union Co., S. C.
Geo. H. Wells	Green Co., Tenn	1858	Feb. 14, 1886	5 52	Timmonsville, S. C.
Chas. C. Fishburn	Barnwell Co., S. C	1872	Dec. 188	10	Bamberg, S. C.
James W. Koger	Colleton Co., S. C	1878	Jan. 28, 188	34	San Paulo, Brazil.
Dennis J. Simmons	Charleston Co., S. C	1841	Jan. 5. 188	0.9	St. George's, S. C.
C D Rowell	Marion Co., N. C.	1030	Jan. 23, 188	00	Topesville S. C.
Albert M Shinn	Stokes Co. N. C.	10/6	Inno 27 100	7 80	Marlhoro Co. S. C.
David I) Ryans	Spartanhurg Co. S. C.	1940	Sep 11 190	7 8	Central S C
James T Kilgo	Chester Co. S. C	1956	Jan. 4 189	2 60	Marlboro Co., S. C.
Ahram P Avant	Marion Co. S C	1844	July 19 188	9 76	Spartanburg S C
Lewis M. Little	Lincoln Co. N. C.	184	Dec. 5 188	72	Sumter, S. C.
William Martin	Green Co., Tenn	1898	Jan. 10. 1889	89	Columbia, S. C.
Abraham Nettles	Summerville, S. C. Laurens Co., S. C. Abbeville Co., S. C.	183	Nov. 6. 188	981	Manning, S. C.
J. Emory Watson	Laurens Co., S. C.	186	June 11, 188	9 51	Chester, S. C.
John H. Zimmerman	Abbeville Co., S. C	1839	Mch. 24, 188	9 73	Westminster, S. C.
Elias J. Meynardie.	Charleston Co., S. C	1848	July 1. 189	64	Camden, S. C.
William Thomas	Lien Regis, England	1868	Dec. 1, 189	0 60	Clarendon Co., S. C.
Robert C. Oliver	Edgefield Co., S. C	. 1858	Aug. 2, 189	1 58	Spartanburg, S. C.
Allen A. Gilbert	Walterboro. S. C	. 1880	Aug. 25, 189	1 62	Sumter. S. C.
John W. Murray	Charleston Co., S. C	. 1856	Dec. 2, 189	1 60	Lamar, S. C.
Basil G. Jones	Davie Co., N. C	. 1883	Feb. 9, 189	1 77	Aiken, Co., S. C.
Manning Brown	Columbia, S. C.		July 29, 189	2	Columbia, S. C.
William Hutto	Orangeburg Co., S. C	. 1849	Jan 19. 189	2 64	Williamston, S. C.
J. L. Shuford	Cleveland Co., N. C	. 184	Mch. 19, 189	26	Summerton, S. C.
Landy Wood	Rutherford, N. C	185	ept. 5, 189	$\frac{2}{6}$	Clio, S. C.
J. B. Platt	Marion Co., S. C	. 186	Jan. 17, 189	3 6	Sandy Run, S. C.
Whitefoord Smith	Charleston, S. C	183	April 27, 189	38	Spartanburg, S. C.
J. W. McRoy	Kinston, N. C	. 185	Aug. 16, 189	3 at	ROCK HIII, S. C.
W. H. Lawton	Hampton, Co., S. C	. 189	Nov. 5, 189	1 6	Ninety-Six, S. C.
M. A. Connorry		. 100	Jan. 20, 100	4 0	Rershaw, S. C.
J. M. Boyd	Newberry Co., S. C	. 100	rep. 20, 109	1 0.	Spartanoure, S. C.
Samuel B. Jones	Charleston S. C	. 100	July 10, 109	4 8	Sp. stophuse S C
W T Capers	Laurens Co., S. C. Abbeville Co., S. C. Charleston Co., S. C. Lien Regis, England Edgetield Co., S. C. Walterboro. S. C. Charleston Co., S. C. Charleston Co., S. C. Columbia, S. C. Orangeburg Co., S. C. Rutherford, N. C. Marion Co., S. C. Charleston, S. C. Marlboro, Co., S. C. Marlboro, S. C. Marlboro, S. C. Marlboro, S. C. Charleston, S. C. Glenn Springs, S. C. Barnwell Co., S. C. Greenville Co., S. C. Crarleston, S. C. Charleston, S. C. Charleston, S. C. Charleston, S. C. Colleton, S. C. Charleston, S. C.	194	Sept. 0, 100	1 60	Greenville, S. C.
R. N. Wells	Clarendon Co. S. C.	187	Dec. 11. 189	5 4	Greenville, S. C.
R. P. Franks	Laurens Co., S. C.	184	Jan. 25, 189	5 7	Lowndesville, S. C.
D. W. Seale	Marlboro, S. C.	. 183	April 6. 189	ก็	Lake City, S. C.
C. H. Pritchard	Charleston, S. C	. 184	Mch. 5, 189	6 7-	Abbeville, S. C.
Samuel Leard	. Abbeville, S. C	183	Mch. 9, 189	6 8	Raleigh, N. C.
J. A. Mood	. Charleston, S. C	. 184	7 April 18, 189	6.	Spartanburg, S. C.
W. D. Kirkland	Charleston, Co., S. C	. 187	May 31, 189	6 4	Spartanburg, S. C.
Thos. Raysor	Colleton Co., S. C	185	Nov. 23, 189	6 6	Urangeburg, S. C.
W. W. Mood	Glenn Springs, S. C	. 185	Jan. 11, 189	7 6	Sumter, S. C.
L. S. Bellinger	Barnwell Co., S. C	188	Jan. 15 189	7 6	Orangeburg, S. C.
A. H. Lester	Greenville Co., S. C	. 185	April 25, 189	6 6	Scolumbia, S. C.
H. M. Mood	Charleston, S. C	184	May 2, 189	7 1	8 Sumter, S. C.
K. A. Few	Edgefield Co., S. C	189	Aug. 8, 189	6 3	2 Greers, S. C. 6 Yorkville, S. C.
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S. P. H. Elwell	Clarendon Co., S. C	186	7 Feb. 17. 190	11 5	8 Columbia, S. C.
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E. B. Lovless	Beaufort Co., S. C.	. 188	5 April 21, 190	00 5	7 Spartanburg, S. C.
E. G. Price	Colleton Co., S. C	187	6 April 28, 190	0 4	7 Cheraw, S. C.
Sidi H. Browne	Beaufort Co., S. C	184	5 Sept. 13, 19	1118	l Columbia, S. C.
John Owen	Wisbeach, England	188	5 Nov. 1, 190	00 4	9 Johnston, S. C.

VII.

STATISTICAL REPORTS.

CHARLESTON DISTRICT.

TABLE NO. 1. Membership, Baptisms, Church Property, Epworth Leagues, Sunday Schools, and Twentieth Century Fund. 1900.

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CHARLESTON DISTRICT. FINANCE.

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COKESBURY DISTRICT.

1900. LABLE NO 1. Membership, Baptisms, Church Property, Epworth Leagues, Sunday Schools, and Twentieth Century Fund.

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COKESBURY DISTRICT.

FINANCE.

TABLE No. 2.

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COLUMBIA DISTRICT.

Membership, Baptisms, Church Property, Epworth Leagues, Sunday Schools, and Twentieth Century Fund. TABLE No. 1.

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COLUMBIA DISTRICT.

FINANCE.

TABLE No. 2.

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FLORENCE DISTRICT.

Membership, Baptisms, Church Property, Epworth Leagues, Sunday Schools, and Twentieth Century Fund. TABLE No. 1.

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FLORENCE DISTRICT. FINANCE.

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GREENVILLE DISTRICT.

Membership, Baptisms, Church Property, Epworth Leagues, Sunday Schools, and Twentieth Century Fund. 1900. TABLE No. 1.

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MARION DISTRICT.

Membership, Baptisms, Church Property, Epworth Leagues, Sunday Schools, and Twentieth Century Fund. 1900. TABLE No. 1.

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	Officers and Teachers.	328222222222222222222222222222222222222
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ORANGEBURG DISTRICT.

TABLE NO. 1. Membership, Baptisms, Church Property, Epworth Leagues, Sunday Schools, and Twentieth Century Fund.

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ROCK HILL DISTRICT.

Membership, Baptisms, Church Property, Epworth Leagues, Sunday Schools, and Twentieth Century Fund. 1900. TABLE No. 1.

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ROCK HILL DISTRICT.

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SPARTANBURG DISTRICT.

TABLE No. 1. Membership, Baptisms, Church Property. Epworth Leagues, Sunday Schools, and Twentieth Century Fund. 1900.

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Membership, Baptisms, Church Property, Epworth Leagues, Sunday Schools, and Twentieth Century Fund. TABLE No. 1.

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	Officers and Teachers.	5 6 7 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8
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RECAPITULATION.

Membership, Baptisms, Church Property, Epworth Leagues, Sunday Schools, and Twentieth Century Fund. TABLE No. 1.

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VIII.

MINUTES OF THE LEGAL CONFERENCE.

The South Carolina Annual Conference met in the Methodist Church, Chester, S. C., December 30th, 1900, at 11 A. M., Rev. A. J. Stokes, President in the chair.

The Secretary presented the Report of the Board of Managers, as follows:

REPORT OF BOARD OF MANAGERS.

· To the South Carolina Annual Conference:

The Board of Managers beg leave to report that all of our securities are safely invested. The Treasurer H. B. Carlisle has collected during the year \$307.79 from the estate of the late Treasurer Wm. K. Blake, which amount he was instructed by the Board to invest. The N. E. R. Bond amounting to \$500, which matured during the past year was paid and has been loaned to L. C. Cannon at 6 per cent. secured by the deposit of County of Spartanburg Bond.

The note against the Tucapau Mills for \$8,000 is past due and the company is ready to pay the note. The Investment Committee was instructed by the Board to receive and re-invest this amount.

The Securities have yielded this year, after deducting commissions and expenses the sum of \$1,135.

This amount has been apportioned to claimants as follows:

To Domestic Missions \$275; to Conference Minutes \$20, and the sum of \$15, to each of the following persons:

Mrs. J. W. Murray, Mrs. E. G. Gage, Mrs. T. W. Munnerlyn, Mrs. Manning Brown, Mrs. W. T. Capers, Mrs. S. Leard, Mrs. R. P. Franks, Mrs. Wim. Carson, Mrs. L. A. Johnson, Mrs. J. C. Bissell, Mrs. Jno. Finger, Mrs. G. H. Wells, Mrs. W. A. Gamewell, Mrs. J. E. Watson, Mrs. J. A. Mood, Mrs. A. L. Smith, Mrs. J. T. McIlhenny, Mrs. J. B. Platt, Mrs. L. Wood, Mrs. S. W. Capers, Mrs. J. H. Zimmerman, Mrs. Wm. Hutto, Mrs. Jno. Owen, Mrs. A. M. Attaway, Mrs. E. B. Loyless, Mrs. L. S. Bellinger, Mrs. J. L. Shuford, Mrs. Thos Raysor, Mrs. D. Z. Dantzler, Rev. T. P. Phillips, Daughter M. H. Pooser, Daughter H. H. DuRant, Daughter W. P. Mouzon, Daughter R. N. Wells, Daughter J. A. Mood, Mrs. W. H. Fleming, Rev. R. L. Duffie, Rev. L. C. Loyal, Rev. J. J. Neville, Rev. F. Auld, Rev. I. J. Newberry, Rev. A. M. Chreitzberg, Rev. J. A. Porter, Rev. J. M. Carlisle,

Rev. M. L. Banks, Rev. P. F. Kıstler, Rev. W. W. Jones, Rev. C. E. Wiggins, Rev. J. J. Workman, Rev. A. W. Walker, Rev. N. K. Melton, Rev. D. D. Dantzler, Rev. C. D. Mann, Rev. Jno. E. Carlisle, Rev. T. L. Belvin and Rev. G. P. Penney.

Respectfully submitted for the Board.

W. M. DUNCAN.

Secretary.

The report was adopted, and the funds appropriated were distributed in open conference.

The following were elected to membership:

S. H. Booth, W. A. Fairey, J. M. Lawson, D. A. Patrick, J. W. Speake and R. E. Turnipseed.

On motion all of the old officers were re-elected as follows:

Rev. A. J. Stokes, President.

Rev. J. A. Clifton, First Vice-President.

Rev. S. A. Weber, Second Vice-President.

Rev. A. J. Cauthen, Third Vice-President.

Rev. T. G. Herbert, Fourth Vice-President.

Rev. W. M. Duncan, Secretary.

Managers: Geo. Cofield, Geo. W. Williams, J. W. Carlisle, W. H. Lockwood and H. B. Carlisle.

Conference adjourned.

A. J. STOKES,

President.

W. M. DUNCAN, Secretary.

IX.

CONFERENCE BROTHERHOOD.

CHESTER, S. C., November 30th, 1900.

At the close of the afternoon sermon by Rev. H. F. Chreitzburg, of the Western North Carolina Conference, the Brotherhood met in the Methodist Church, Rev. J. O. Willson in the chair.

The proceedings of last year's meetings were read and approved. The Secretary then made his report to the effect that he had called five assessments during the year, on the death of the following members; S. P. H. Elwell, February 17, 1900; M. H. Pooser, April 12, 1900; E. B. Loyless, April 21, 1900; S. H. Browne, September 13, 1900; John Owen, November 1, 1900.

The following were enrolled as new members:

Clerical: J. W. Bailey, J. H. Graves, F. E. Hodges. J. M. Lawson, G. C. Leonard, L. P. McGee, T. B. Reynolds, F. H. Shuler, W. C. Smith, Peter Stokes, R. E. Turnipseed, J. B. Weldon. 12.

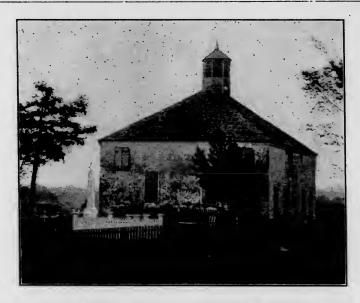
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The officers of the Brotherhood were all re-elected by acclamation, and the meeting was closed with prayer and the benediction by the President.

JOHN O. WILLSON,

President.

S. LANDER, Secretary.



THE FIRST METHODIST CHURCH BUILT IN WINNSBORO, S. C.

BUILT IN EIGHTEEN HUNDRED AND TEN. DEDICATED BY REV. REDDICK PIERCE. BISHOP ASBURY PREACHED HERE, DECEMBER NINTH EIGHTEEN HUNDRED AND TEN. ONE OF THE FIRST CHURCHES IN METHODISM TO USE A BELL. THE LOT UPON WHICH IT STOOD AND UPON WHICH THE PRESENT CHURCH STANDS WAS THE FIRST GIVEN IN WINNSBORO FOR CHURCH PURPOSES.

THE CHURCH BUILDING SHOWN ABOVE WAS REPLACED IN EIGHTEEN HUNDRED AND SEVENTY FIVE.



HOME IN WHICH THE METHODIST CHURCH WAS ORGANIZED IN FLORENCE, APRIL FOURTH, EIGHTEEN HUNDRED AND SEVENTY.



THE FIRST METHODIST CHURCH IN THE CITY OF FLORENCE, S. C., WAS ORGANIZED IN THE HOME OF CAPT. M. C. HENRY, ON APRIL FOURTH, EIGHTEEN HUNDRED AND SEVENTY—BY REV. G. H. WELLS. REV. ALLEN HAMBY WAS THE FOUNDER OF THE CHURCH. THE CHURCH IS THIRTY YEARS OLD. DURING THIS PERIOD IT HAS GROWN FROM SEVENTEEN MEMBERS TO NEARLY FIVE HUNDRED.

THE CONGREGATION HAVE BEEN FORCED TO ERECT THREE CHURCH EDIFICES. THE FIRST WAS TORN TO PIECES BY A STORM, THE SECOND WAS DESTROYED BY FIRE, AND THE THIRD IS THE HANDSOME BRICK STRUCTURE THAT COST NINE THOUSAND DOLLARS. THE CHURCH IS NOT IN DEBT AND ALWAYS PAYS EVERY CLAIM IN FULL. THE GROWTH OF METHODISM IN THIS CITY HAS BEEN TRULY WONDERFUL,

X.

MINUTES OF THE HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

The Historical Society of the South Carolina Annual Conference met in the Methodist Church at Chester, So. Ca., Tuesday night, November 27, 1900, at 7.45 P. M., Rev. H. B. Browne in the chair.

After singing hymn 132, Rev. Wm. C. Power offered prayer.

J. M. Steadman was appointed Secretary pro-tem.

Rev. E. O. Watson was introduced and delivered an able and well prepared address on "A Review of Methodist Education in South Carolina to A. D. 1900."

The thanks of the Society were tendered brother Watson and the address was ordered published.

The annual dues from members were collected.

The Report of the Board of Managers was read and received as information as follows:

The Board reports the archives in good condition. The curator, Prof. D. D. Wallace, has kept our property in good order. The Society owns some valuable manuscript which ought to be printed in permanent form. To do this will require more money. We ask our friends throughout the State to assist the Society in its work in every possible way, especially in the matter of enlarged contributions.

We nominate the Rev. Leroy F. Beaty to deliver the next annual

lecture before this Society.

H. B. BROWNE,

For Managers.

The class admitted into full connection at the last Conference was elected to membership in the Society: S. H. Booth, W. A. Fairey, J. M. Lawson, D. A. Patrick, J. W. Speake, R. E. Turnipseed, M. F. Dukes.

The following laymen were elected members: Dr. J. F. Pearce, Dr. R. Y. McLeod, T. L. Cole, Rev. D. E. Thrower.

Donations to the Museum were called for and the following contributions reported:

From Mrs. M. W. Felder, Continental Money, 1776.

From Rev. Sidi H. Browne, Books, papers, etc., formerly belonging to late Rev. Henry Bass—also silver cup presented by S. C. Conf. to Rev. Henry Bass in 1853.

From Capt. Geo. W. Sullivan, Sketch of Methodism in Laurens County, S. C. by the late Capt. G. Washington Sullivan.

From Miss Palmer, A very old Bible, once the property of the late Rev. John Davis, a local preacher, born 1798.

From Rev. H. B. Browne, Relics from the birth-place of Bishop

H. N. McTyeire, Barnwell County; also relics from birth-place of Revs. Lovick and Reddick Pierce, on Tinker Creek, Aiken, (formerly Barnwell) County, S. C.

From Geo W. Williams, History of Banking in South Carolina, by G. W. Williams.

From Rev. W. A. Betts, Printed copy of Biographical sketch and Memorabilia of Rev. Coonrod A. Plyler of Lancaster County, S. C. Books and parchments lately belonging to Rev. Coonrod A. Plyler's library. Books from the library of Thomas J. Cauthen of Kershaw County, S. C. Parchments of Rev. Jonathan Ogburn of Lancaster County, S. C.

From A. J. Stokes, D. D., A coin bearing likeness of George II, and with date of 1751. A brick from the Church at old Fort Dorchester and a piece of the wall of the old fort.

From Dr. E. S. Burnham, of Charleston, A hymn-book containing the order of Sunday service of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

From Rev. G. E. Stokes, The complete Quarterly Conference Journal of Blackville circuit. A map of old Waccamaw circuit. A gavel made by Dr. S. P. H. Elwell containing wood from each of the presiding elders' districts of the South Carolina Conference.

From Mrs. Rebecca Jackson of York County, S. C, a copy of Zion's Songster.

From Mrs. L. A. Johnson of Yorkville, So. Ca., Two volumes of Ramsey's History of So. Ca.

From Capt. L. M. Gist of Yorkville, S. C,. A copy of The Farmer's Miscellany.

From Rev. F. H. Shuler, An old copy of the Holston Methodist.

From Rev. J. J. Stevenson. An old Sunday School Banner.

From Rev. R. L. Holroyd, The first bell used by the Cokesbury Conference School.

From Rev. S. H. Fleming, Bang's Vindication of Methodist Episcopacy.

From Rev. W. C. Kelly, Darlington circuit Resolutions and Roll of Lebanon Church.

From Rev. I. N. Stone, Life of Bishop R. R. Roberts.

From Rev. S. A. Nettles, Quarterly Conference Record for Rich Hill circuit covering six years.

From Rev. J. L. Ray, Copy of Nashville Christian Advocate containing sermon and addresses at the Quarto Centennial Celebration of Vanderbilt University.

On motion it was determined that the Secretary secure estimates of cost of publishing a catalogue of the historical relics on hand.

The Society adjourned with benediction by Rev. E. O. Watson.

H. B. BROWNE,

J. M. STEADMAN.

President. .

Secty. Pro-tem.

XI. SESSIONS OF THE SOUTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE.

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5	Charleston, S. C	Feb.	22.	1791	Coke and Asbury	Not Known	3,830	6
6	Charleston, S. C	Feb.	14,	1792	Francis Asbury	Not Known	0.025	7
7	Charleston, S. C	Dec.	24,	1792	Francis Asbury	Not Known	3,371	8:
8	Finch's, in fork of Saluda and Broad	Ton	1	1704	Francis Asbury Francis Asbury Francis Asbury Francis Asbury Coke and Asbury Jonathan Jackson Francis Asbury Asbury and Whatcoat Francis Asbury Francis Asbury Asbury and McKendree Basbury and McKendree Asbury and McKendree Basbury Basbu	Not Known	5,192	1,2
9	Charleston, S. C	Jan.	- i'.	1795	Francis Asbury	Not Known	4,428	1,1
ŏ	Charleston, S. C	Jan.	1,	1796	Francis Asbury	Not Known	3,862	9'
1	Charleston, S. C	Jan.	5,	1797	Coke and Asbury	Not Known	3,715	1.0
2	Charleston, S. C	Jan.	1,	1798	Jonathan Jackson	Not Known	4,457 4,806	1,3 1,3
1	Charleston, S. C	Jan.	i,	18:00	Francis Asbury	Jesse Lee	4,802	1,5
5	Camden, S. C	Jan.	1,	1801	Asbury and Whatcoat	J. Norman	4,745	1,5
6	Cam :en, S. C	Jan.	1,	1802	Francis Asbury	N. Snethen	5,663	1,7
7	Camden, S. C	Jan.	1,	1804	Coke and Asbury	N. Snethen	9,256 11.064	2,8
0	Charleston, S. C.	Jan.	i,	1805	Asbury and Whatcoat	Jno. McVean.	12,248	3,8
ŏ	Camden, S. C	Dec.	30,	1805	Asbury and Whatcoat	Jas. Hill	12,615	4,3
1	Sparta, Ga	Dec.	29,	180n	Francis Asbury	Lewis Meyers	12,484	4.4
2	Charleston, S. C	Dec	28,	1807	Francis Asbury	Lewis Meyers	14,417 16,314	5,1
1	Charleston S C	Dec.	23	1809	Asbury and McKendree.	W. M. Kennedy	17,788	6,2 8,2 9,1
5	Columbia, S. C	Dec.	22.	1810	Asbury and McKendree	W. M. Kennedy	19,404	9,1
6	Camden, S. C	Dec.	21.	1811	Asbury and McKendree	W. M. Kennedy	20,863	111,0
7	Charleston, S. C	Dec.	19,	1812	Asbury and McKendree	W. M. Kennedy	23,966	13,7
ð. a	Fayetteville, N. C.	Jan.	21,	1814. 1814	Asbury and McKendree	A Talley	23,711 $23,240$	14,3 14,5
0	Charleston, S. C	Dec.	23.	1815	Win. McKendree	A. Tailey	25,065	116 4
i	Columbia, S. C	Dec.	25.	1816	McKendree and George.	A. Talley	22,383 20,965	$16.7 \\ 11.7$
2	*Augusta, Ga	Jan.	27,	1818	Wm. McKendree	S. K. Hodges	20,965	$\frac{11.7}{111.5}$
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3	Columbia S C.	Jan.	11.	1821	Enoch George	W. M. Kennedy.	22,105	12,4
6	Augusta, Ga	Feb.	21.	1822	McKendree and George	W. M. Kennedy.	22,105 21,290 23,121	12,4 12,9
7	Savannah, Ga	Feb.	20,	1823	R. R. Roberts	W. M. Kennedy	23,121	13 8 14,7 15 2 15,7
8	Charleston, S. C	Feb.	19,	1005	E. George	W. M. Kennedy.	24,909 $27,756$	15.9
0	Milledgoville Go	Jan	12,	1020 1826	Joshua Soule	W. M. Kennedy.	28,405	15.7
ĭ	Augusta, Ga	Jan.	11,	1827	McKendree, Roberts and	William Included		1
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2	Charleston S. C	Feb.	28	1828 1890	Joshua Soule	W M Kennedy	29,419 35,173 38,708	16,5 18.4 21,5
1	Columbia S.C	Jan.	27	1830	Joshua Soule	Jno. Howard	40,335	194 2
5	Fayetteville, N. C.	Jan.	26.	1831	W. M. Kennedy	S. W. Capers	20,513	19,1
ő	Darlington, S. C	Jan.	26,	1832	Elijah Hedding	W. M. Wightman	21 713 24,773 25,186 23,789	20,1
1	Charleston, N. C	Jan.	30,	1833	Frankand Andrew	W. M. Wightman	25,773	22,
0	Columbia S C	Feb.	11	1835	J. O. Andrew	W. M. Wightman	23,789	22.7
()	Charleston, S. C	Feb.	10.	1836	J. O. Andrew	W. M. Wightman	24,110	19,1 20,1 22,5 22,7 22,7 23,6
1	Wilmington, N. C	Jan.	4,	1837	Malcolm McPherson	W. M. Wightman	23,615	23,1 23,4
2	Columbia, S. C	Jan.	10,	1838	Thomas A. Morris	Wm. Capers	24,016 24,756	24 8
11	Charleston S. C.	Jan.	8	1840	Thos. A. Morris	W. M. Wightman	24,756 26,974	24,8 27,6 30,4
5	Camden, S. C	Feb.	10,	1841	J. O. Andrew	J. H. Wheeler	26,945	30,4
6	Charlotte, N. C	Jan.	26,	1842	B. Waugh	J. H. Wheeler	27,475 30,540	30,8
7	Cokesbury, S. C	Feb.	8,	1843	J. O. Andrew	J. H. Wheeler	30,540	37
0 50	Columbia S. C.	Dec.	25	1844	Joshua Soule	J. H. Wheeler	32,406	37,9 39,4
50	Fayetteville, N. C.	Dec.	10.	1845	J. O. Andrew	P. A.M. Williams	32,406 33,387 32,699	41,
31	Charleston, S. C emoved from Louisv	Jan.	13,	1847	Wm. Capers	IP. A.M. Williams	32,699	140,

SESSIONS OF THE SOUTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE.—Concluded.

PLACE.	DATE.	PRESIDENT.	SECRETARY.	White Members.	Colored Members.
76 Chester, S. C. 77 Spartanburg, S. C. 78 Sumter, S. C. 79 Newberry, S. C. 80 Charlotte, N. C. 81 Marion, S. C. 82 Morganton, N. C. 83 Abbeville, S. C. 84 TCheraw, S. C. 85 Charleston, S. C. 86 Spartanburg, S. C. 87 Anderson, S. C. 88 Sumter, S. C. 90 Orangeburg, S. C. 91 Chester, S. C. 92 Columbia, S. C. 93 Newberry, S. C. 94 Charleston, S. C. 95 Marion, S. C. 96 Union, S. C. 97 Greenville, S. C. 98 Sumter, S. C. 99 Charleston, S. C. 90 Orangeburg, S. C. 910 Orangeburg, S. C. 910 Orangeburg, S. C. 92 Sumter, S. C. 93 Sumter, S. C. 94 Charleston, S. C. 95 Charleston, S. C. 96 Union, S. C. 97 Greenville, S. C. 98 Sumter, S. C. 98 Sumter, S. C. 99 Charleston, S. C. 90 Orangeburg, S. C. 90 Orangeburg, S. C. 90 Orangeburg, S. C. 910 Orangeburg, S. C.	Dec. 12, 1861 Dec. 11, 1862 Dec. 10, 1864 Nov. 16, 1864 Nov. 1, 1865 Dec. 23, 1866 Dec. 23, 1866 Dec. 15, 1886 Dec. 15, 1886 Dec. 16, 1877 Dec. 18, 1877 Dec. 16, 1877 Dec. 18, 1877 Dec. 18, 1877 Dec. 11, 1878 Dec. 12, 1877 Dec. 11, 1878 Dec. 11, 1878 Dec. 11, 1878 Dec. 12, 1887 Dec. 14, 1881 Dec. 14, 1881 Dec. 14, 1881 Dec. 17, 1887 Dec. 17, 1887 Dec. 17, 1887 Dec. 18, 1887 Dec	J. O. Andrew. Wm. Capers. J. O. Andrew. R. Paine. J. O. Andrew. William Capers. R. Paine. G. F. Pierce. John Early. J. O. Andrew. J. O. Andrew. R. Paine. J. O. Andrew. J. O. Herce. G. F. Pierce. G. F. Pierce. Wm. M. Wightman. D. S. Doggett. W. W. M. Wightman. J. C. Keener. H. H. Kavanaugh. D. S. Doggett. W. M. Wightman. J. C. Keener. J. C. Granbery. H. N. McTyeire. J. C. Granbery. H. N. McTyeire. J. C. Granbery. H. N. McTyeire. John C. Keener. J. C. Granbery. J. C. Granbery. E. R. Hendrix. R. K. Hargrove. J. C. Granbery. W. W. Duncan. J. S. Key. R. K. Hargrove.	F. A. Mood. F. M. Kennedy. W. C. Power. H. F. Chreitzberg.	33,023 34,447 31,143 33,154 33,154 33,154 33,154 34,938 35,733 35,733 35,733 35,733 36,144 40,220 40,537 40,220 40,249 38,647 40,249 40,249 41,886 44,485 44,485 44,485 44,485 44,485 44,485 44,485 44,485 44,648 47,289 49,280 50,647 67,299 69,516 67,299 69,516 71,791 71,535 72,665 73,972 74,818	40,988 41,888 41,617 37,840 37,840 45,261 44,688 42,356 45,190 46,746 48,583 45,759 45,767 42,466 47,461 26,283 8,276 2,417 1,536 1,334 43,73 640 648 42,446 3,54 43,76 42,417 42,456 44,461 42,446 43,54 43,54 43,54 43,54 44

A large section in State of North Carolina transferred to the North Carolina Conference.

XII.

CHRONOLOGICAL ROLL

OF THE

CLERICAL MEMBERS OF THE SOUTH CAROLINA ANNUAL CONFERENCE

A. D. 1839 to 1900.

*January. 1839. A. M. Chreitzberg. 1841. John A. Porter. February, 1842. James F. Smith. January. December, 1844. John M. Carlisle. December, 1845. P. F. Kistler. 1848. M. L. Banks. January, A. J. Cauthen. December, 1843. December, 1849. W. W. Jones. W. A. Clarke. December, 1850. December, 1851. O. A. Darby. November, 1853. L. M. Hamer. November, 1854. C. E. Wiggins. November, 1857. R. R. Dagnall, William C. Power, A. W. Walker. December, 1858. F. Auld, T. G. Herbert, James C. Stoll. J. B. Campbell, T. J. Clyde, J. W. Humbert, November, 1859. A. J. Stokes. N. K. Melton, J. L. Sifly, J. A. Wood, J. J. December, 1860. Workman. December, 1862. S. A. Weber. December, 1863. A. J. Stafford. November, 1864. John Attaway, S. Lander. November, 1865. J. B. Traywick. December, 1866. Reuben L. Duffie. December, 1868. L. C. Loyal, T. E. Wannamaker. December, 1869. J. A. Clifton, G. T. Harmon. J. S. Beasley, George M. Boyd, G. W. Gatlin, December, 1870. E. Toland Hodges. December, 1871. D. D. Dantzler, J. K. McCain, D. Tiller, J. B. Wilson.

December, 1872. R. W. Barber, J. C. Davis, C. D. Mann, G. H. Pooser, William A. Rogers.

December, 1873. L. F. Beaty, J. E. Carlisle. William H. Kirton

I. J. Newberry, John O. Willson, George W. Walker.

- December, 1874. William H. Ariail, J. C. Counts, M. M. Ferguson, A. W. Jackson, J. J. Neville, J. L. Stokes, S. D. Vaughan, W. W. Williams, O. N. Rountree.
- December, 1875. J. W. Arizil, W. S. Martin, T. P. Phillips, A. C. Walker.
- December, 1876. H. B. Browne, R. H. Jones, W. P. Meadors.
- December, 1877. J. Thomas Pate, James S. Porter.
- December, 1878. William R. Richardson.
- December, 1879. J. Walter Daniel, J. M. Fridy, T. E. Morris, P. A. Murray, William H. Wroton.
- December, 1880. N. B. Clarkson, William, M. Harden, J. W. Neeley.
- December, 1881. M. M. Brabham, J. E. Rushton, J. E. Beard, J. C. Chandler, William A. Betts.'
- December, 1882. J. W. Elkins, C. B. Smith, J. D. Frierson.
- December, 1883. James E. Grier, B. M. Grier, S. J. Bethea, D. P. Boyd, G. P. Watson, W. W. Daniel, G. R. Whitaker.
- December, 1884. J. C. Yongue, M. Dargan, G. H. Waddell, W. M. Duncan, William B. Baker.
- December, 1885. A. F. Berry, E. O. Watson, J. M. Steadman, T. C. O'Dell, J. F. Anderson, W. I. Herbert, D. A. Calhoun.
- December, 1886. J. A. Rice, C. W. Creighton, M. L. Carlisle, M. W. Hook, P. L. Kirton.
- December, 1887. R. L. Holroyd, A. B. Earle, W. E. Barre, Jas. W. Kilgo, W. B. Duncan, John L. Harley, R. A. Yongue, S. T. Blackman, J. P. Attaway, W. L. Wait, Jas. E. Mahaffey.
- November, 1888. Kicholas G. Ballenger, Thomas M. Dent, Pierce F. Kilgo, Henry C. Mouzor, John L. Ray, Geo. R. Shaffer, Robert E. Stackhouse, Ellie P. Taylor, E. Alston Wilkes, W. Asbury Wright.
- November, 1889. Jefferson S. Abercrombie, Albert H. Best, Rufus A. Child, J. R. Copeland, George W. Davis, W. H. Hodges, Melvin B. Kelly, John Manning, J. Marion Rogers, John William Shell, Whiteford S. Stokes, Artemus B. Watson, J. A. White.
- November, 1890. David Hucks, Edward W. Mason, D. Arthur Phillips, Samuel H. Zimmerman.
- December, 1891. Alexander N. Brunson, A. J. Cauthen. Jr., John D. Crout, James H. Thacker, Wm. C. Winn, Eli M. McKissick, from the Protestant Methodist Church.
- November, 1892. H. W. Bays, from the Western North Carolina Conference, E. H. Beckhan, George F. Clarkson, J. L. Daniel. R. M. DuBose, Olin L. DuRant, Shala W. Henry, E. Palmer Hutson, from the Presbyterian Church, Preston B. Ingraham, John N. Isom, W. B. Justus, A. S. Lesley, W. H. Miller,

E. K. Moore, D. Melvin McLeod, R. C. McRoy, A. R. Phillips, J. J. Stevenson, R. W. Spigner, T. J. White, W. B. Wharton, W. E. Wiggins.

December, 1893. L. L. Bedenbaugh, J. A. Campbell, T. Grigsby Herbert, W. A. Massebeau, R. E. Mood, G. E. Stokes, J. Barr Harris, Peter Stokes.

November, 1894. Martin L. Banks, Jr., Connor B. Burns, Robert C. Boulware, Henry J. Cauthen, Waddy T. Duncan, William S. Goodwin, E. S. Jones, W. A. Kelly, S. A. Nettles, W. A. Pitts, J. R. Sojourner, W. J. Snyder, P. B. Wells.

December, 1895. John G. Beckwith, Chesley C. Herbert, George C. Leonard, Benjamin M. Robertson, Henry Stokes, Julius F. Way.

December, 1896. Sidi B. Harper, D. W. Keller, W. C. Kirkland, J. C. Roper, F. H. Shuler, Foster Speer, W. H. Thrower.

December, 1897. S. H. Booth, A. E. Holler, W. A. Fairey, J. M. Lawson, D. A. Patrick, J. W. Speake, R. E. Turnipseed.

December, 1898. E. M. Merrit, from the Western North Carolina Conference, N. L. Wiggins from the Florida Conference, T. B. Reynolds from the Florida Conference, H. W. Whittaker from the North Carolina Conference, O. M. Abney, J. H. Graves, R. W. Humphries, E. Z. James, J. L. Mullinix, J. E. Strickland.

December, 1899. J.W. Bailey, from the Wesleyan Church in America.

November, 1900. B. J. Guess, from the Texas Conference, H. I.

Stephens, from the Baltimore Conference, T. F.

Gibson, from the Western North Carolina Conference, B. D. Lucas, from the China Mission Conference.

XIII.

CONFERENCE REGISTER AND DIRECTORY FOR 1901.

E. Elder; D. Deacon; S'y, Snpernumerary; S'd. Superannuated; P E, Presiding Elder.

(All Postoffices are in South Carolina, unless otherwise stated.)

NAME	POST OFFICE	Year Admit- ted to the Conference	Years on Districts Years on Stations Years on Circuits Xears on Missions Years in College, Army, Local or Transforred Years Supernumerary Years Superannuated Total Years Present Relation
Abney, O. M. Anderson, J. F. Ariail, W. H. Ariail, J. W. Attaway, John Attaway, J. P. Aald, F. Balley, J. W. Baker, W. B. Ballenger, N. G. Banks, M. L. Banks, M. L. Barber, R. W. Barre, W. E. Bays, H. W. Beard, J. E. Beckham, E. H. Beckwith, J. G. Bedenbaugh, L. L. Berry, A. F. Bethea, S. J. Betts, W. A. Blackman, S. T. Booth, S. H. Boyd, G. M. Boyd, G. M. Boyd, G. M. Boyd, D. P. Boulware, R. C. Brabham, M. M. Browne, H. B. Brunson, A. N. Burns, C. B. Calhoun, D. A. Campbell, J. B. Campbell, J. B. Carlisle, J. M. Carlisle, J. M. Carlisle, J. M. Carlisle, J. E. Canthen, A. J., Jr Cauthen, H. J. Chandler, J. C. Child, R. A. Chreitzberg, A. M. Clarkson, G. F. Clifton, J. A. Clarkson, G. F. Clifton, J. A. Coppeland, J. R. Coppeland, J. C. Creighton, C. W.	Pickens. Greenwood McClure. Gibson's Sta., N. C. Graniteville'. St. Matthews Cross Keys. Blackstock Britton's Neck. Rock Hill Blenheim. Rock Hill Nashville, Tenn Heath's Barnwell Jefferson Lykesland Landrum Verdery Jordan. VicCormick Langley Lowrysville Newberry Kingstree Ninety-Six Orangeburg Yorkville Santuc Grover Anderson Little Bock	Nov. 1847 Nov. 1874 Nov. 1874 Nov. 1887 Nov. 18892 Dec. 1881 Dec. 1873 Nov. 1892 Nov. 1892 Nov. 1895 Dec. 1883 Dec. 1883 Dec. 1883 Dec. 1881 Nov. 1889 Dec. 1881 Nov. 1889 Dec. 1881 Nov. 1897 Dec. 1887 Dec. 1882 Dec. 1882 Dec. 1882 Dec. 1886 Nov. 1894 Dec. 1885 Nov. 1894 Dec. 1885 Nov. 1894 Dec. 1886 Dec. 1848 Dec. 1848 Dec. 1886 Dec. 1886 Dec. 1889 Dec. 1886 Nov. 1889 Dec. 1886	11

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NAME	POST OFFICE	Year Admit- ted to the Conference	Years on Districts Years on Stations Years on Circuits Years on Missions Years in College, Army, Local or Transferred Years Supernumerary Years Supernumerary Total Years Present Relation
Daniel, J. W. Daniel, W. W. Daniel, W. W. Daniel, W. W. Daniel, J. L. Dantzler, D. D. Darby, O. A. Dargan, Marion Davis, J. C. Davis, G. W. Dent, T. M. Dulfose, R. M. Duffie, R. L. Dukes, M. F Duccan, W. M. Duncan, W. M. Duncan, W. T. Donlap, A. T. Carle, A. B. Eikins, J. W. Frairey, W. A. Ferguson, M. M. Fridy, J., M. Fridy, J., M. Gibson, T. F. Goodwin, W. S. Graves, J. H. Grier, B. M. Guess, B. J. Grier, J. E. Hamer, L. M. Harley, J. L. Harmon, G. T. Harper, S., B. Henry, S. W. Herbert, T. G. Herbert, T. Grigsby Herbert, D. Holler, A. E. Holler, A. E. Holler, A. E. Holler, A. E. Hurbon, E. P. Inabinet, L. L. Ingraham P. R	Florence. 'Ottageville Edgefield Clio Lanes Westminster Loris Georgetown Laurens Donald's Summerton Florence Beaufort Conway Spartanburg Sally Clinton Woodford Laurel Kinards Ridgeway Abbeville Holly Hill Traveller's Rest Marion Covinglon Clyde Charleston Greenville Nashville, Tenn Rock Hill Princeton Leesville Newberry Pelzer Dillon Columbia Gaffney Scotia Spartanburg Bamberg Jonesville Maxnolia Ridgeville Columbia Grenville Maxnolia Ridgeville Columbia Caffney Scotia Spartanburg Bamberg Jonesville Maxnolia Ridgeville Columbia Columbia Columbia Spartanburg Bamberg Jonesville Maxnolia Ridgeville Columbia Columbia Starr Hickorv Grove Cherokee Rome Union Watterloo Watterloo Watterloo Watterloo Watterloo Watterloo	Nov. 1889 Nov. 1889 Nov. 1892 Dec. 1866 Dec. 1894 Dec. 1893 Dec. 1893 Nov. 1892 Nov. 1892 Nov. 1893 Nov. 1892 Nov. 1897 Dec. 1877 Dec. 1877 Dec. 1879 Dec. 1879 Dec. 1879 Dec. 1879 Dec. 1879 Dec. 1879 Dec. 1883 Dec. 1883 Dec. 1883 Dec. 1883 Dec. 1883 Dec. 1885 Dec. 1886 Dec. 1887 Dec. 1895 Dec. 1895 Dec. 1896 Dec. 1897 Dec. 1898	16 23 3 42 3 4 15 E 15 E 15 E 2 1 2 15 E 3 16 1 1 E 3 16 11 E 3 12 1 13 E 14 E 14 E 14 E 14 E 16 18 23 41 E 2 D 18 23 41 E 2 D 2 2 D 2 3 D

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Keller, D. W	Westminster	Dec, 1896	
Kelly, M. B	Greenville	Nov. 18'9	$\begin{bmatrix} & 2 & 9 & & & & 11 & \mathbf{E} \\ 3 & 3 & & & 6 & \mathbf{E} \end{bmatrix}$
Kilgo, J. W	Sunter	Nov. 1894 Nov. 1887	10 10 10 10 10
		Nov. 1888	10 73
Kirkland, W. C	Walterboro Lake City	Dec. 1896	1 2 2 4 E
Kirton, W. H	Lake City	Dec. 1873	
Alfton, F. L.	Greenwood	Dec. 1886	9 3 2 14 E
Kistler, P. F	Denmark	Jan. 1846	
Langer, Samuel	Lewiedale	Nov. 1864 Dec. 1897	0. 5
Leonard, G. C.	Fountain Inn	Dec. 1895	5 5 E
Lesley, A, S	Greenwood	Nov. 1892	8 D
	Georgetown	Dec. 1868	2 17 2 11 32 S'd E
Mohoffey I F	Newberry Graniteville	Dec. 1888 Nov. 1887	11 2 11 E
Mann. C. D	St. Matthews	Dec. 1872	
Manning, John	Clio	Dec. 1819	
Mason, E. W	Waterloo	Nov, 1890	3 7
Mas abeau. W. A Martin. W. S	Union Kingstree	Dec. 1893 Dec. 1875	3 4 7 E 12 3 25 E
Meadors, W. P	Spartanburg	Dec. 1876	6 7 16 1 24 PE
-Melton, N. K	Columbia	Dec. 1860	3 34 2 1 40 S'd
Me'ritt, E. M	McColl	Pec. 1898 Nov. 1892	2
Moore E. K	Hampton	Nov. 1892	1 0 1 1 1 1
Mood R. E	. Camden	1 ec. 1893	6 1 7 E
Morris, T. E	. Chester	Dec. 1879	16 5
Mouzon, H. C	. Mt. Carmel	Nov. 1888	$\begin{bmatrix} 12 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 12 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} E \\ E \end{bmatrix}$
Murray P A	. Summerville Charleston	Dec. 1898 Dec. 1878	8 12 2 52 E
McCain, J. K	Gray Court	Dec. 1871	
- McKissick, E. M	. Ehrhardt	Dec. 1891	9 9 E
McLeod, D. M	Blacksburg	Nov. 1892 Nov. 1892	
Neely J W	Kershaw	Dec. 180	15 2 9 90 10
Nettles, S. A	Pacolet	Dec. 1894	4 2 6 E
Neville, J. J	. Anderson	Dec. 1874	1.14 26 S'd
Newperry, I. J	Gaffney Columbia	Dec. 1019	
Pate, J. Thomas	Florence	Dec. 1877	17 6 23 E
Desigh D. A	Gaffney	Dec. 1897	3 3 D
Phillips, D. Arthur	Heath Springs	Nov. 1890	1010 E
Phillips, A. R	Lydia	Nov. 1892 Dec. 1874	24
Pitts. W. A	Greer's	Nov. 1894	6 6 E
Pooser G. H		.l Dec. 1872	100 0 100 TO
Porter, J. A	Marion	. Fe D. 1841	1 19 :8 3 8 60 5 d
Porter, J. S	Centenary Marion	Dec. 1877 Nov. 1857	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
Ray, J. L		Nov. 1888	12 •
Reynolds, T. B	Conway	Pec. 1898	12
Rice, J. A	Chicago, Ill	Dec. 1866	
Richardson, W. R	Spartanburg		20 2 22 E 5 5
Robertson, B. M Rogers, W. A	Orangeburg	Dec. 1872	
Rogers, J. M	. Williamston	Nov. 1889	18 10 2 6 28 E
Ror er. J. C	. Greer's	Dec. 1896	$\begin{vmatrix} \cdot \cdot \cdot \cdot \cdot \end{vmatrix} \begin{vmatrix} 2 \\ 14 \end{vmatrix} \begin{vmatrix} 2 \\ 12 \end{vmatrix} \begin{vmatrix} \cdot \cdot \cdot \cdot \end{vmatrix} \begin{vmatrix} 4 \\ 26 \end{vmatrix} \begin{vmatrix} E \\ E \end{vmatrix}$
Rountree, O. N Rushton, J. E	Hendersonville Lake City	Dec. 1874	
Shaffer G. R.	Fork	Nov. 1888	$ \cdot \cdot _{12}^{19}$ $ \cdot \cdot\cdot \cdot _{12}^{19}$ $ \cdot $ $ \cdot _{12}^{19}$

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NAME	POST OFFICE	Year Admit- ted to the Conference,	Years on Dist Years on Star Years on Circ Years on Mis Years in Coll Local or T Years Supern Years Supern Total Years
	Reidville	Nov. 1889	11 11 E
Shuler, F. H	Aiken Orangeburg	Dec. 1896 Dec. 1860	
Sojourner, J. R	Rome	Nov. 1894	
Smith, J. F	Spartanburg	Jan. 1842	
Smith, C. B Snyder, W. J Speake, J. W	Bennettsville	Dec. 1882	11 3 4 18 E
Snyder, W.J	Clifton	Nov. 1894	6
Speake, J. W	Greenville Starr	Dec. 1897 Dec. 1896	4 500
Stevenson, J. J.	Hartsville.	Nov. 1892	
Stevenson, J. J Stackhouse, R. E	Pendleton	Nov. 1892 Nov. 1888	5 6 1 12 E
Stafford A. d	Aiken	Dec. 1863	26 7 4 37 8'd
Steadman, J. M	Lancaster	Dec. 1885	6 5 4 15 E
Steadman, J. M Stephens, H. I Spigner, R. W	Charleston Horeb	Nov. 1900 Nov. 1892	:::::8::::::::::::8 E
Stokes, A. J	Cuarleston	Nov. 1859	10 21 9 1 41 P 8
Stokes, J. L	Camden	Dec. 1874	1. 18 8
Stokes, W. S	Cokesbury.	Nov. 1889	$\begin{bmatrix} \dots & 8 & 1 & \dots & 2 & \dots & 11 & \mathbf{E} \\ 7 & \dots & 7 & \mathbf{E} \end{bmatrix}$
Stokes, G. E Stokes, Peter	Denmark	Nov. 1893 Nov. 1893	
Stokes, Henry	Cokesbury	Dec. 1895	
Stokes, Henry	Chester	Dec. 1858	4 37 1
Strickland, J. E	McClellanville	Dec. 1898	
Taylor, E. P	WithusboroOswego	Nov, 1888 Dec. 1891	4 8
Thrower, W. H	Salters	Dec. 1896	
Tiller, Dove	Latta	Nov. 1871	3 26
Traywick, J. B	Lamar	Nov. 1865	35
Turnipseed, R. E	Port Royal	Dec. 1897 Dec. 1874	
Waddell, G. H.	Columbia	Dec. 1884	
Wait, W. L	Summerville	Nov. 1887	12 1 13 E
Wait, W. L Walker, G. W	Augusta, Ga	Dec. 1873	9 2 16 27 E
Walker, A. C Walker, A. W	Bishopville	Dec. 1875	3 22
Wannamaker, T. E	Orangeburg	Nov. 1857 Dec. 1868	$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 7 & 25 & 1 \\ 4 & 6 & 11 \\ \end{bmatrix}$ $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 9 & 43 \\ 10 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ S'd
Watson, A. B	Mullins	Nov. 1889	2 9 11 E
Watson, G. P	St. George	Dec. 1883	112 51 1 17 TC
Watson, E. O	Charleston		
Way, J. F	Phœnix Yorkville		
Weber, S. A	Manning		9 9
Wharton, W. B	Prosperity	Nov. 1892	8
White, J. A	Georgetown	Nov. 1889	8 3 11 E
White, T. J	Reedy River	Nov. 1892 Dec. 1871	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$
Whitaker, G. R	Turbeville		
Whitaker, G. R Wiggins, C. E Wiggins, W. E.	Garnett		14 3 26 3 46 8
Wiggins, W. E	Easley	Nov. 1892	8 E
		Dec. 1898	
Wilkes, E. A Williams, W. W. Willson, Jno. O	Springfield	Nov. 1888 Dec. 1874	1 25
Willson, Jno. O	Columbia	Dec. 1873	5 16 6
	Anderson	Dec. 1871	10 19
Winn, W. C	O. K		11 0 16 0 9 6
Wood, J. A	WilliamstonCamden		0 90 1 10 40 63
Wright, W. A.	Branchville	Nov. 1888	
Wright, W. A Wroton, W. H	Denmark	Dec. 1879	19 2 2 S'd
Yongue, J. C	Elloree	Dec. 1884	12 4
Yongue, R. A Zimmerman, S. H			13 E
Zimmerman, S. H	Columbia	. 7404. 1980	9 91I' 101 F.

PREACHERS ON TRIAL.

FIRST YEAR.

NAME	POST OFFICE.	NAME.	POST OFFICE.
Fowler, J. T McGhee, L. P	Laurens	Smith, W. C Turnipseed, B. R	CamdenColumbia

SECOND YEAR.

NAME.	POST OFFICE.	NAME.	POST OFFICE
		Scroggins, E. F	
Inabinet, L. L	Starr	Singleton, H. L	Loris
Macfarlane, J. T Murphy, B. G	Chester	Truesdale, R. S Weldon, J. B	Cheraw

LOCAL PREACHERS SERVING AS SUPPLY.

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NAME.	POST OFFICE.	NAME.	POST OFFICE.
Bailey, S. D	Sumter.	Miller, J. T	Parksville
	Kollock		
Buchanan, W. R	Ridgeland	McCain, C. L	Pickens
Burgess, C W		Patrick. W. T	
Creech, S. T		Penny, G. P	Camden
Dukes, G. W	Williston		Rock Hill
DuRant, W. J		Roof, William	
Gleaton, W. C			Yorkville
	Fort Motte		Van Wyck
	Townville		Zoan
Kelly, W. C			
Kilgore, E. G		Welch, J. C	
Lewis, D. A	Warrenville,	Wright, J. N	Lexington

LAY MEMBERS.

NAME.	DISTRICT.	NAME.	DISTRICT.
Bates. G. H	Orangeburg	*Keitt, T. W	Cokesbury
Bolt. J. F	. Spartanburg	Killingsworth, S. F	Cokesbury
Boozer, A. M	. Columbia	Lewis, J. A	Marion
Bruce, J. B	. Greenville	*Lynch, G. G	Florence
*Carlisle, James H	Spartanburg	Moore, W. H	Charleston
Carter, W. J	Marion	Morrison, W. S	Greenville
	Florence	McGarity, J. M	Rock Hill
	Florence	*Park, A. K	Greenvi le
	. Orangeburg	Prince, G. E	Greenville
	. Cokesbury	*Purdy, R. O	Sumter
*Etheredge, J. G	. Columbia	Riddle, J. M	Rock Hill
	Marion	Rogers, S. H	Charleston
George, S. B	. Columbia	Shuler, J. R	Columbia
	Charleston	Smith, J. A	Rock Hill
	Spartanburg	*stokes, William	Charleston
	Sumter	Summers, J. W	Orangeburg
	Spartanburg	*Thornton, J. R	Cokesbury
Hodges, P. A	Marion	Turbeville, W. J	sumter
Hoffmeyer, G	. Florence		Rock Hill
*Jones. J. N	Sumter	Willis, W. É	Orangeburg

^{*}Not present at session of Conference.

LOCAL PREACHERS

Other than those Serving as Supply.

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CHARLESTON DISTRICT. V. C. DibbleChicora J. W. MurrayChicora				
J. W. Murray Chicora D. E. Thrower Ridgeville C. E. Walker Hartzog DISTRICT.				
J. A. HollandNinety-Six C. P. Carter Greenwood DISTRICT.				
J. D. Ricard Leesville				
H. M. ShealyLeesville John R. WalkerColumbia N. S. YounginerIrmo				
DISTRICT.				
E. R. SmithBethlehem N. B. GarnerLeund E DISTRICT.				
J. P. Smith Pelzer				
A. A. MerrittPiedmont				
D. L. WhitakerOakway ORANGEBURG DISTRICT.				
A. E. Price Salley				
D. Schumpert Brookland I. E. Smith Woodford				
R. B. Tarrant Bamberg				
O. A. Jeffcoat Perry				
L DISTRICT.				
y A. E. Driggers O. K. W. B. Sealey Smith				
RG DISTRICT. J. C. McKenneyBrooklyn				
H. J. MorganFair Forest E. L. ArcherSpartanbur				
SUMTER DISTRICT. J. B. OwenSilver W. S. HoganCongaree				
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XIV.

Names of Preachers at Some Time Connected with the South Carolina Conference, whose Connection Ceased Otherwise than by Death.

First numerals indicate date of admission; second numerals, date when connection ceased; Tr. transferred; L. located; R. Readmitted; W. withdrawn; Ex. expelled.

For names of those who died while members of the Conference, see minutes, p. 64. For names and facts concerning those at present connected with the Conference, see minutes, p. 101. These three tables, as nearly as we can now ascertain from the records at hand, give a complete roster and syllabus of Conference Biography from 1827-1901.

Andrew, Jos. B, 1827, Tr. Ga. 1830. Arnold, Wesley P., 1827, Tr. Ga. 1830. Allen, David J., 1829, L. 1836. Allison, J. J., 1829, L. 18 7. Anthony, J. B., 1832, W. 1845. Armstrong, Samuel, 1834, Tr. West 1842. Abernathy, R. L., 1854, L., 1855. Andrews, Geo. K., 1855, L., 1861. Abernathy, John W., 1858, Tr. N. C. 1870.

Allston, R B. 1859, Tr La, 1871 Archer, E L, 1874, L 1878, R 1888, L 1897 Attaway, A.W., 1886, L 1897, R 1898, L 1900

Boring, Isaac, 1825, T Ga, 1830
Bradly, Jacky M, 1826, L 1860
Ballew, David, 1827, L 1833
Boring, Jesse, 1827, L T Ga 1830
Bedell, Mahlon, 1827, Tr Ga 1830
Bythewood, Matth-w, 1828, Disct 1830
Brown, C A, 1830, Tr Ga 1830
Brown, C A, 1830, Tr Ga 1830
Brown, Z, 1830, Tr Ga 1830
Brown, Z, 1830, Tr Ga 1830
Brown, M, 1830, L 1834
Brockington, Wm, 1834 Disct 1835
Bowman, P G, 1834, Ex 1870
Barnes, Z W, 1839, L 1853
Byrd, Nathan, 1841, L 1844
Bettis, Wade H, 1841, Disct 1842
Brunson, Wm H, 1842, Disct 1842
Brunson, Wm H, 1843, L 1854
Boyd, Daniel, 1843, Disct 1844
Basringer, Wm, 1845, Tr N C 1850
Bird, U S, 1847, Tr Fla 1877
Bouchell, Jas N, 1850, Disct 1852
Burgess, R W, 1854, L 1859
Black, W S, 1856, Tr N C 1870
Bennick, A R, 1858, Tr Holston 1868
Bowman, Wm, 1859, L 1875
Barton, T F, 1860, Disct 1861
Bird, G W, 1864, L 1867
Boone, T A, 1864, Tr N C 1870
Barnes, C V, 1870, L

Brown, D R, 1883, L 1887, Re 1889, W 1895 Blanchard, S S, 1887, W 1895 Berry, B O, 1888, Ex 1895 Betts, J R, 1888, L 1891 Bethea, H C, 1883, L 1889, Re 1890, L 1891, W 1893 Brown, J W, 1878, Tr N Ga 1891

Capers, Benj H, 1826, L 1836
Culverhouse, Wm, 1828. Tr Ga 1830
Chappell, Geo A, 1829, Tr Ga 1830
Capers, Thos H, 1829, Tr Ga 1830
Capers, Thos H, 1829, Tr Ga 1830
Carter, John C, 1829, Tr Ga 1830
Crowell, C A, 1824, Tr Ga 1830
Collier, Geo, 1830, Tr Ga 1830
Collier, Geo, 1830, Tr Ga 1830
Collier, Geo, 1830, Tr Ga 1830
Collier, Geo, 1834, L 1837
Chandler, Jas H, 1837, L 1850
Collins, James, 1837, Disct 1838
Clark, Wm C, 1837, L 1855
Crum, LJ, 1838, Disct 1840
Collier, W E 1538, L 1842
Cox, D D, 1841, L 1851
Cloy, Henry, 1842, Disct 1843
Connor, W G, 1843, Tr Tex 1868
Chreitzberg, O A, 1846, Ex 1851
Connor, J O A, 1847, L 1850
Currie, W B, 1850, L 1860
Creighton, G W M, 1833, L 1873
Connor, J S, 1854, L 1873
Capers, R Thornton, 1854, Disct 1856
Crider, J W, 1855, Tr Va
C ine, Jas M, 1856, L 1869
Coward, James W, 1860, L 1868
Carpenter, J D, 1861, L 1871
Crisp, J C, 1865, Tr N C 1873
Chreitzberg, H F, 1874, Tr Ga 1830

Dorris, John M, 1827, Tr Ga 1830 Douglas, Tillman, 1828, Tr Ga 1830 Davis, Geo W, 1828, Tr Ga 1830 Deas, John M, 1838, L 1842 Davis, Solomon W, 1841, Tr Cal 1851 Davis, James E, 1843, Disct 1844 Dunwoody, S H, 1848, L 1851 DePass, J P, 1861, Tr Fla 1866 Davis, M C, 1865, Disct 1867 Davis, S M, 1868, Tr N C 1870 Dixon, B F, 1870, Tr N C 1870 Dowell, W J, 1893, W 1898

Ellison, W H, 1828, Tr Ala 1833 Eaddy, Morion, 1839, L 1862 Ervine, Jas S, 1853, Tr N C 1870 Evans, A J, 1856, L 1860 Eaddy, Oliver, 1859, Tr Fla 1870 Edwards, T H, 1860, L 1869 England, T P, 1870, Tr N C 1870 England, J F, 1870, Tr N C 1880

Few, Ignatius A, 1828, Tr Ga 1830 Ferrill, W C, 1834, L 1843 Farrow, T M, 1845, L 1850 Fowler, F X, 1846, Disct 1848 Fleming, J J, 1850, Ex 1852 Faulkner, J W, 1851, L 1853 Frippe, W J E, 1857, L Frippe, E T R, 1860, Tr Balto 1871 Ford, W S B, 1888, Disct 1890

Gassaway, Wm, 1826, Tr Ga 1830 Green, Andrew J, 1837, L 1847 Green, Sam'l M, 1841, L 1852 Glenn, H Judge, 1844, L 1847 Galluchat, Jos. 1847, Disct 1848 Gleason. J E, 1857, Disct 1858 Graham, W W, 1858, L 1865 Griffith, J B, 1867, Tr N C 1870 Gantt, A G, 1870, Tr N C 1880 Griffith, Geo J, 1870, L 1884 Gilbert, T E, 1877, L 1881 Gleaton, W C, 1884, L 1896

Hunter, John, 1825, T Ga 1830
Howell, Thos D, 1826, Disct 1828
Haygood, Appleton, 1829, Disct 1830
Humbert, John G, 1829, Disct 1830
Howie, William, 1829, Disct 1830
Hilliard, Henry W, 1830, Disct 1831
Heath, Henry, 1830, Disct 1832
Hornby, Allen, 1830, L 1840
Hearn, Thos, 1830, Disct 1832
Huggins, T, 1833, L 1849
Halton, Willis, 1834, Tr West 1842
Harrison, W T, 1835, L 1845
Holliday, Wm, 1836, L 1842
Hamilton, B, 1838, L 1844
Huckabee, Allen, 1840 L 1845
Hughes, J P, 1844, L 1850
Hughes, J P, 1844, L 1850
Hughes, J P, 1849, L 1866
Hutchins, Thos, 1841, Disct 1842
Hoover, J, 1861, Disct 1862
Harrison, R M, 1860, Tr N C 1870
Hodges, W A, 1861, L —
Hoover, J, 1861, Disct 1862
Harrison, R M, 1863, T N C 1870
Harrison, R M, 1863, Tr N C 1870
Harrin, Felix, 1875, Tr Ark 1879
Harmon, J A, 1883, The C 1881
Harmon, C G, 1890, Tr Cola 1891
Holly, J Bowman, 1893, W 1895
Harbin, A V, 1895, Tr 1895

Ivy, Geo W, 1851, Tr N C 1870

Jones, R H, 1830, Tr Ga 1830 Jackson, P B, {Tr Pacific 1888, R T 1889 Tr Los Ang 1890

King, W W, 1825, L 1836 Kelly, John M, 1828, L 1833 Kirton, James P, 1836, L 1844 Kelly, Archibald, 1836, Disct 1837 Kerr, Wm M, 1837, L 1847 Kelly, A B, 1838, Disct 1840 Kennerly, Sherrod, 1840, Disct 1842 Kilgo, J C, 1883, Tr N C 1894

Le Gette, E, 1827, L 1838
Lackey, Wm, 1829, Disct 1830
Laney, D. D, 1834, L 1853
Limehouse, R J, 1836, L 1847
Le Grett, D, 1837, Disct 1838
Locke, John R, 1840, Tr Ala 1843
Lee, Wm M, 1845, L 1852
Leadbetter, R S, 1845, Disct 1847
LaMotte, C O, 1851, W 1854
Land, C E, 1859, Tr N C 1870
Lee, W D, 1870, Tr N C 1870
Le Gette, A C, 1877, Tr Fla
Little, J R, —, L 1888

Little, J R, —, L 1888

Mabry, Wm M, 1826, Tr Ga 1830
Mershon, John, 1827. Disct 1828
Murchison, K, 1827, L 1843
Miller, Lewis, 1827, L 1830
McDonald, Daniel, 1828, Tr Ga 1830
McDaniel, Daniel, 1828, Tr Ga 1830
McNair, Edwd, 1828, L 1831
Mahappy, Vernal, 1829, Tr Ga 1830
Moseley, W R H, 1829, Tr Ga 1830
Murrah, Wm. 1829, Tr Ga 1830
Murrah, Wm. 1829, Tr Ga 1830
Murrah, Wm. 1829, Tr Ga 1830
McCall, John W, 1830, L 1842
Moore, Wm M D, 1832, L 1843
Morse, John K, 1832, L 1843
McDabt, W C, 1832, Disct 1834
McLenaghan, H, 1833, Disct 1834
McLenaghan, H, 1833, Disct 1834
McLenaghan, H, 1836, Uisct 1838
Murchison, Colin, 1837, Tr 111 1669
Myers, M P, 1836, L 1841
McDaniel, J C, 1842, L 1848
Michaw, M, 1842, L 1847
Miller, Stephen, 1844, L 1847
McDonald, Daniel, 1845, Tr Miss 1855
Munds, J T, 1848, L 1850
McOonald, Daniel, 1845, Tr Miss 1855
Munds, J T, 1848, L 1859
Mitchell, Thos. 1849, L 1881
Moore, H D, 1858, Tr Fla 1864
Morgan, H J, 1861, L 1884
McKinney, — 1861, Ex 1873
Moore, A W, 1864, L 1885
McClellian, W P, 1870, Tr N C 1870
McElhary, Jas T, 1870, Tr N C 1870
Mazingo, Jos F, 1877, Disct 1878
Meynardie, J S, 1878, Disct 1889
Macfarlane, A, Tr St L 1889
Macfarlane, A, Tr St L 1889
Major, John D, 1892, Tr E Cola 1892 Major, John D, 1892, Tr E Cola 1892

Norman, Jeremiah, Jr. 1825, Tr Ga 1830 Norsworthy, S P. 1826, Tr Ga 1830 North, John W. 1850, Tr N C. 1870 Nelson, Jesse S. 1855, Tr N C 1870 Noland, J Hubert, 1890, L 1900

Ozier, Jacob L, 1826, L Oliver, John L, 1827, Tr Ga 1830 Owens, Sherrod, 1838, Disct 1840 O'Neal, Lark, 1839 L 1848

Parnell, Geo W, 1827, Tr Ga 1830
Powell, J. P, 1827, L. 1831
Pope, Benjamin 1828, Tr Ga 1830
Palmer, A. H, 1830, Tr Ga 1830
Parnell, H. H, 1834, Disct 1835
Potter, Ira L, 1835, Tr Fla 1847
Pickett, P. H, 1835, Tr Miss 1837
Postell, J. C, 1835, L. 1841
Parker, Joseph, 1843, Tr Tex 1869
Puckett, Miles, 1844, L. 1864
Poslette, T. W, 1845, Disct 1847
Porter, Hugh F, 1847, L. 1849
Palmer, Jas L, 2852, Disct 1854
Price, E. A, 1853, L. 1865
Puett, John W, 1856, Tr N C 1870
Penny, J. E, 1861, L. 1872
Prather, J. J, 1868, Tr N C 1870
Pike, J. M, 1882, Tr Fla 1889, R 1897, L. 1897

Rogers, Robert, 1827, Disct 1830
Richardson, R. J., 1830, Tr Ga 1830
Rush, L., 1831, L. 1840
Russell, Mark, 1832, L. 1842
Richardson, Alfred, 1839, L. 1846
Robbins, M., 1840, L. 1849
Robinson, Wm, 1846, Disct 1847
Richardson, J. M., 1847, Disct 1848
Rush, A. M., 1850, Disct 1852
Raby, J. W., 1861, Disct 1862
Roper, Sam'l A., 1864, Dr. N. C. 1877
Randall, J. C., 1873, L. 1880
Rice, A. Q., 1892, Disct 1898

Simmonds, John, 1827. Disct 1828 Steagall, Wm. 1827. Tr Ga. 1830 Spraggins, F C, 1827. L. 1831 Smith, Wm I, 1827, L. 1836 Stevens, S L, 1828. Tr Ga. 1830 Salley, John W, 1828. Tr Ga. 1830 Smith, Wm B, 1829, Tr Ga. 1830 Sears, Wm N. 1829, Tr Ga. 1830 Sears, Wm N. 1829, Tr Ga. 1830 Sale, John, 1829, Disct 1880 Shelman, T P C. 1830, Tr Ga. 1830 Smith, Wm R, 1833, L. 1838 Smith, John L, 1833, L. 1837 Staines, Horry, 1834, Disct 1840 Smith, Williamson, 1840, L. 1855 Smith, Wm H, 1842, Disct 1844 Stacey, A G, 1846, Tr Mo. 1869 Stokes, Geo W, 1853, L. 1860 Stephens, A B, 1855, Ex. 1873 Smith, Fletcher, 1858, Diset 1859 Sharp, V A, 1858, Tr N C 1870 Stoudemeyer, J L, 1861, L 1869 Snow, J J, 1863, L 1869 Sturtevant, Jas H, 1865, Diset 1867 Smith, T W, 1872, Diset 1873 Smith, A Coke, 1873, Tr Va 1892 Stockman, J A, 1874, Ex 1876 Smart, R D, 1871, Tr L R 1891 Scudday, H G, 1887, Tr Tex 1888 Spann, J C, 1891, L 1895

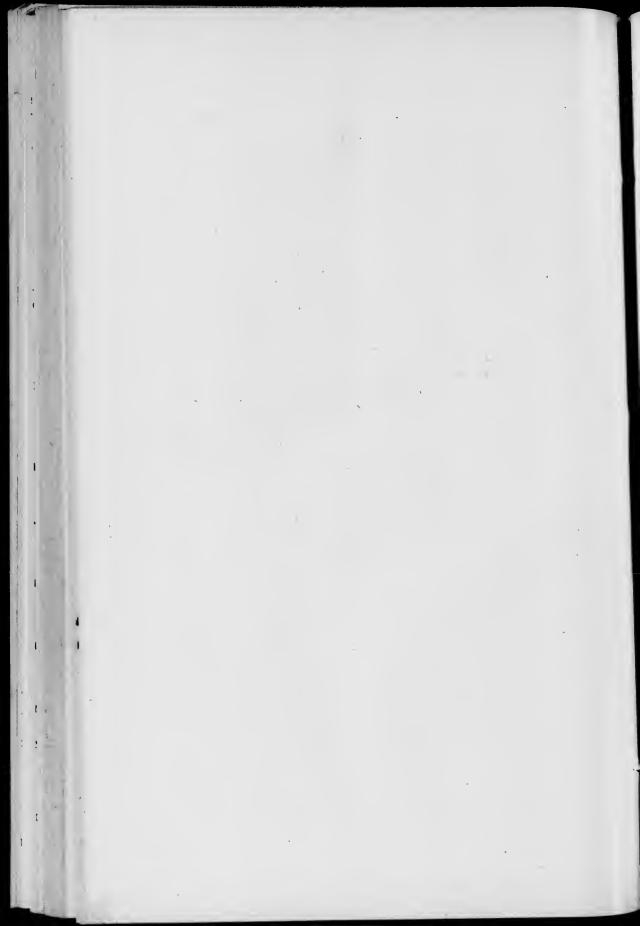
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Tally, Geo R, 1837, L 1845
Thomasson, John S, 1839, L 1843
Taylor, S P, 1841, Ex 1851
Taylor, Chas, 1845, Tr Ky 1866
Taylor, Robt, 1847, Disct 1848
Thompson, E W, 1855, Tr N C 1870
Tarrant R B, 1861, L 1870
Tart, Jas H, 1861, L 1870
Tucker, J K, 1865, Disct 1867
Tarboux, J W, 1878, Tr Bra 1886
Totten, F M, 1892, Tr Balto 1893

Vandiver, J W, 1843, Disct 1845

Williams, William, 1827, Disct 1829
Williams, Robt, 1827, Tr Ga 1830
Winn, R J, 18:7, Tr Ga 1830
Wooly, Vardy, 1827, Tr Ga 1839
Wade, D F, 1827, L1830
Wadeherly, J T, 1828, Tr Ga 1830
Wimbush, John. 1828, Tr Ga 1830
Williams, S, 1831, Disct 1832
Williams, S, 1831, Disct 1832
Whitby, Wm, 1831, L 1840
Wright, Geo, 1834, Disct 1836
Wheeler, Jos H, 1834, Tr N C 1850
Wightman, Jas W, 1842, Tr Ky 1866
Warnock, Jos, 1845, L 1851
Wightman, J T, 1848, Tr Balto 1885
Washburne, R, 1850, Disct 1852
Wells, Abram N, 1858, L 1869
Whitman, G W, 1874, Ex 1882
Walker, LeGrand G, 1877, Disct 1878
Wannamaker, T H, 1883, Disct 1884
Wolling, J W, 1875, Tr Bra 1886
Wightman, W S, 1873, W 1893

Young, Wm, 1829, Tr Ga 1830 Young, T L, 1835, Disappeared 1841

Zimmerman, W McS, 1887, Disct 1888



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Conference.	Traveling Preachers	Local Preachers	Members	Sunday	Sunday-school Teachers	Sunday-school Scholars	Epworth Leagues	Epworth League Members
labama	193	144	49,037	554	3,461	28,756	64	2,421
Arkansas	105	159	21,311	190	1,444	11,908	28	795
Baltimore	233	85	51,117	597	5,840	41,644	186	8,303
Brazil Mission Central Mexico Mis.	31 35	16	2,437 2,688	29	139 104	1,419 $1,332$	3 16	138 518
China Mission	40	12	1,153	26	156	1,920	17	582
Columbia	25	20	1,993	31	206	1.121	18	525
Denver	15	7	1.219	22	160	1.204	17	510
East Columbia	26	7 23	1,688	25	182	1,382	14	508
East Texas	109	133	32,761	245	1,644	13,123	24	907
Florida	135	132	20,892	297	1,870	13,265	94	2,934
Jerman Mission	21	17	1,294	30 637	192	1,135	11 140	337
Holston	227 60	248 71	55,822	1261/2	4,708	45,710 6,441	50	4,637 1,782
Illinois	171	205	7,567 19,961	223	1,256	10,473	63	1,922
Indian Mission Japan Mission	28	9	666	46	79	1,315	· 1	30
Kentucky	133	90	31,352	244	1.813	14,253	59	2,291
Little Rock	138	143	30.913	335	2,134	17,165	58	1,948
Los Angeles	30	24	2,313 $27,077$	30	267	1,835	31 64	1,004
Louisiana	133 178	75 207	27,077	276 388	1,789 2,709	13,672 22,851	47	2,078 1,601
Louisville	192	185	46,962 58,356	473	3,680	31,308	93	3,205
Memphis Mexican Border Mis.	25	21	1,850	49	150	1,337	14	449
Mississippi	158	111	37,855	357	2,165	17,532	80	2,339
Missouri	203	136	44.034	4131/2	3,716	25,907	187	6,019
Montana	16	8	1,035 $1,552$	21	150	1,112	. 9	331
New Mexico	22	15	1,552	26	194	1,463	14 106	522
North Alabama	229 182	305 109	62,650	606 618	3,703	34,606	38	3,794
North Carolina	229	327	97,974	739	4,640 5,617	39,520 50,179	164	1.437 5.785
North Georgia North Mississippi	179	115	44,498	492	2,670	22,538	89	2,658
North Texas	197	216	49,086	324	2,669	21,850	149	4,865
N. W. Mexican Mis	18	.11	997	25	97	926	13	368
Northwest Texas	271	353	66,969	459	3,649	31,825	207	7,209
Pacific	78	30	6,863	105	709	4,561	65 67	2,24
South Carolina	271 209	108 152	$74.228 \\ 62.223$	692 560	4,952 3,768	43,269	150	2,273
South Georgia Southwest Missouri	164	121	30.812	2901/2	2,565	30,459 19,813	155	5,630 4,767
St. Louis	123	116	26,374	236	2.085	18,039	94	3.56
Tennessee	200	274	67,468	570	3,947	33,471	114	3,898
Texas	115		23,652	188	1.441	11.567	62	1,957
V1rginia	277	115	88,741	779	8,573	61,943	175	9,30
West Texas		87	16,914	159	1,177	9,066	80 25	200
Western	$\frac{30}{226}$		3,195	43 729	433 4.947	2,058 50. 97 6	99	3.72
W. North Carolina	$\frac{220}{123}$		72,123 $24,131$	370	2,497	19,816	92	3,547
Western Virginia White River			25,750	224	1,462	12,016	36	1,11
Bishops						*********		
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Total this year	6,120		1,464,808	13,9401/2	102,723	819,101	3,383 3,355	
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STATISTICS OF THE FOREIGN MISSIONS OF THE BOARD, 1899-1900

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*Decrease. Norw.-Amounts in the table are in United States currency.

STATISTICS OF THE WOMAN'S BOARD OF FOREIGN MISSIONS.

The Society supports at present 50 mission ries, including 1 medical 166 teachers and helpers, 17 boarding schools, 61 day schools, 2 hospitals, and 60 Bible women; women and children under instruction, about 5,500. There are 6 mission fields—27 stations—under the care of the Woman's Board: China, Korea, Mexico, Brazil, Cuba and Indian Mission. At its last annual meeting the Board appropriated about \$94,000 to support the work in the 6 mission fields for 1899-1900.

Statistics of Home Work.—Whole number of auxiliaries 2.290; adult members, 43,327; auxiliaries organized during the year, 205; members added during the year, 3,462; Young People and Juvenile societies, 1,257; Juvenile members, 29,317; Young People and Juvenile societies organized during the year, 121; members added during the year, 3,312; total members, 72,644; life members, 4,542; honorary members, 195; honorary life members, 92; honorary life patrons, 14; scholarships, 146; day schools, 28; Bible women, 60.

STATISTICS OF THE WOMAN'S BOARD OF FOREIGN MISSIONS 1899_1900.

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China	12 23 5	128 37 35	887 42 77 1,001 587	6
Brazil 11	37 10 3	259 37 5.		2
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Cuba 1	3	23 2	95	***************************************
Indian Territory 1	14 3 1	125	125	1
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Total 50 9	123 48 17	2.255 451 61 2	2,098 42 613 4,354	16

STATISTICS OF THE WOMAN'S BOARD OF FOREIGN MISSIONS (Continued) 1899-1900.

NAME OF MISSION	Kindergar- tens	Scholerships	Buildings Rented	Hospitals	Value	Patients Treated	Bible Colleges	Value	Bible Women	Total Value of Mission Property
China Brazil	2	90	1	2	\$ 12.500 00	7,985	3	\$15,000 00	33	\$ 69,100 00 55,000 00
Mexico	$\frac{2}{3}$	34							20	150,000 00
Korea		19	1 2		••••••				19	5,127 70
Indian Territory.		2		ï	500 0 0					10,500 00
Total	5	146	9	3	\$ 13,000 00	7,985	3	\$ 15,000 00	74	\$289,727 70

STATISTICS OF THE SOUTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE WOMAN'S FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY 1878-1900,

Year	Societies	Members	Collected for for all Purposes
1879	75	2,031	\$ 323 30
1880	122	2,913	2,242 86
1881	159	4,031	3,001 48
1882	171	3,533	3,264 75
1883	191	4,295	3,730 18
1884	214	4,732	3,794 09
1885	218	4,762	5,274 16
1886	210	4,482	4,095 01
1887	194	4,762 4,482 4,436	3,788 58
1883	201	4,746	4,292 33
1889	2:1	4,919	4,280 16
1890	220	5.056	4,455 92
1891	240	5,325	4,613 69
1992	244	5,159	4,199 51
1893	247	5,325	5,013 89
1894	239	5,130	4. 38 22
1895	247	5,026	4,461 83
1896	276	5,477	5,657 68
1897	299	5,949	5,753 15
1898	298	5,826	6,947 57
1899	290	5,657	6,447 71
1900	290	5,880	7,790 51
Total			\$97,996 78
llected for S	carritt Bible and Traj	ning School	\$6,150 12

STATISTICS OF THE WOMAN'S HOME MISSION SOCIETY.

The Woman's Home Mission Society was established by the General Conference in 1886. During the past year the Society has built, through its dues alone, more than one parsonage a week, and since its organization to 1900 had aided in all 1,034 parsonages.

The Supply Department contributes yearly clothing and other valuables to the families of inadequately supported ministers. Last year forty-seven boxes, valued at \$5,733, were distributed in the Mission Conferences and weaker points in the stronger Conferences,

The Society is doing Educational Work:

- 1. The Sue Bennett Memorial School at London, Ky., with 282 pupils and 9 teachers.
- 2. The School and Home at Greenville, Tenn, Value \$7,000. Cares for 34 children.
- 3. Three schools for Cubans located at Ybor City and West Tampa, Fla., and one at Key West, Fla.
 - 4. Six Chinese and Japanese night schools on the Pacific coast.

CITY MISSION work is carried on by the Society in nine different cities. The different forms of work embrace Kindergarten, sewing and cooking schools, day nursery, and evangelistic effort.

RESCUE WORK is carried on in two large Rescue Homes in Dallas and San Antonio, Texas.

The property of the Society, briefly summarized, is as follows;

School for Cubans, Tampa. Fla	\$ 8,000
Sue Bennett Memorial School, London, Ky	25,000
Rescue Home, Dallas, Texas	15,000
Young Ladies' Institute, Key West, Fla	11,500
Industrial School and Home, Greenville, Tenn* 7,000	
San Antonio Mission Home, San Antonio, Texas 12,000	0-19,000
Grand total	\$78,500
*Not yet fully paid for.	

EDUCATIONAL STATISTICS.

Our Church has one university, twenty colleges, and fifty-two secondary schools. In addition to these there are still others which we patronize.

These institutions have buildings and equipment valued at \$3,817,655, and endowments amounting to \$2,409,080. They have over 700 teachers, and more than 10,000 pupils.

(For Educational Statistics of the South Carolina Conference see Minutes page 22.)

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GENERAL RELIGIOUS STATISTICS.

Numbers in the World According to Creed.

(Compiled by M. Feurnier De Flaix.)

Creeds	No. of	Followers	Creeds	No. of	Followers
1 Chri-tianity		256,000,000 190,000,000	5 Buddhism		147,900,000 43,000,000 14,000,000 7,186,000 117,681,669

CHRISTIANITY.

Churches	Total Followers	Churches	Total Followers .
Catholic Church Protestant Churches Orthodox Greek C'ch. Church of Abyssinia. Coptic Church	143,237,625		1,690,000 80,000 70,000 477,080,158

STATISTICS OF LEADING DENOMINATIONS IN THE UNITED STATES.

DENOMINATION	Ministers	Churches	Members	Members to each Minister
Catholics	11,415	11,798	8,539,899	748
*Methodists (17 bodies)	36,561	53,908	5,996,923	160 132 240
Baptists 13 bodies)	34,221	50,257	4,535,462	132
Lutherans (20 bodies)	6,624	10,787	1,591,780	240
Presbyterians (12 bodies)	11.894	15.057	1.562,206	131
Disciples of Christ	6.399	15,057 10,298	1,118,396	175
Protestant Episcopal (2 bodies)	11,894 6,399 4,829	6,324	702,342	146
Congregationalists.	5,650	5,650	630,000	111

^{*}Of the Methodist bodies the two largest are the Methodist Episcopal Church, having a total of 2,714,344 communicants, and the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, having a total of 1,476,257 communicants.

GROWTH OF EVANGELICAL CHURCHES IN THE UNITED STATES.

(Table of Dr. D. Dorchester.)

Year	Churches	Ministers	Members	
1800	3,030	2.651	364,872	
1850	43,072	25,555	3,529,988	
1870	70,148	47,609	6,673,396	
1880	97,090	69.870	10,065,963	
1890	151,172	98,185	13,823,618	
1900	172,406	126,046	17,784,475	

GROWTH OF EVANGELICAL CHURCHES IN OUR COUNTRY IN PROPORTION TO POPULATION.

(Table by Dr. D. Dorchester.)

1880,	1	Communicant	in	14.50	inhabitants.
1850,	1	"	6 5	6.57	46
1870,	1		66	5.78	. "
1880,	1	"		5.00	66
1890,	1	4.6		4.53	""
1900,	1	• 6	.6	4.28	66

GROWTH OF METHODISM (All Branches) IN OUR COUNTRY.

1830, 64,894. 1850, 1,325,631. 1870, 2,499,052. 1880, 3,574,485. 1890, 4,589,284. 1900, 5,996,923.—Showing growth from 1850-1870, 20 years, of 1,173,421; 1870-1880, 10 years, of 1,075,433; 1800-1890, 10 years, of 1,014,799; 1890-1900, 10 years, of 1,407.639. The period of most rapid increase being the decade from 1890-1900.

GROWTH OF METHODISM IN THE WORLD 1860-1900.

In 1860, 2,818,414 Communicants.

" 1880, 5,069,109 " Increase 2,250,696 " 2,764,347

GROWTH OF THE M E. CHURCH SOUTH

From its Organization in 1846 to 1899.

Year	Traveling Preachers	Local Preachers	White Members	Colored	Indian Members	Total Members	
1816 *1860 *1866 1899	1,519 2,784 2,488 6,120	2,833 5,353 3,829 5,329	327,284 537,136 425,404 1,456,296	124,961 207,776 48,742	2,972 4.160 701 19,961	459,569 757,209 481,164 1,476,257	

*In the interval of these years the War between the States was fought. The table above shows in part the cost to us of the terrible struggle. In 1863 our Church began anew hr career underlargely new conditions. The growth of her membership from 481,164 in 1866 to 1,476,257 in 1899 indicates in part the success of her labors.

STATISTICS OF LEADING DENOMINATIONS (White) IN SOUTH CAROLINA.

DENOMINATION	Ministers	Churches	Members	Members to each Minister	Amt. paid per meniber for Missionary Work	Educational Institutions	Teachers	Pup,1s
Raptists	450 271 134	913 719 271 64	95,833 74,607 20,128 8,421	213 275 150 280	28 1 18	5 6	44 37	627 525
Protestant Episcopal	30 62	76	6,743	112	1 13			

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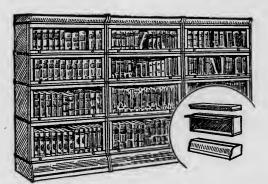
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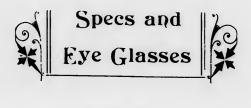
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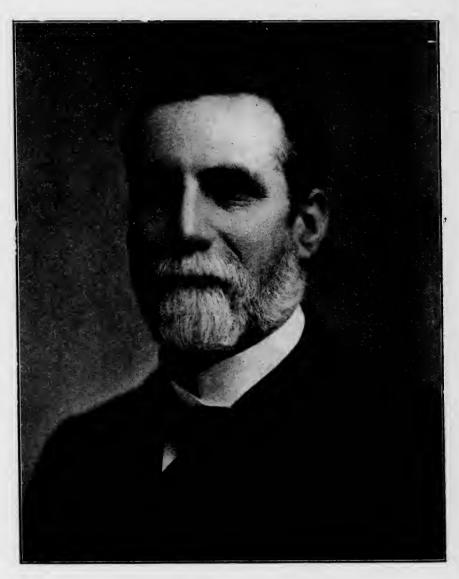
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